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BEING

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TO HIS EXCELLENCY JOHN CAMPBELL, EARL OF  
ABERDEEN, &c., &c., &c.,

*Lord Lieutenant General and General Governor of Ireland.*

*Local Government Board,*

*Dublin, 9th April, 1886.*

MAY IT PLEASE YOUR EXCELLENCY,

WE, the Local Government Board for Ireland, submit to your Excellency this our Fourteenth Annual Report under the statute 35 & 36 Vic., cap. 69, entitled "The Local Government Board (Ireland) Act, 1872," relating to our proceedings up to the 31st March, 1886.

### POOR RELIEF.

1. We submit, in the first place, in continuation of similar returns in previous Annual Reports, summaries of weekly returns, showing the number of persons in receipt of relief, in the workhouses and out of the workhouses, at the close of each of the fifty-two weeks from the week ended 7th February, 1885, to the week ended 30th January, 1886, both inclusive; and we annex two diagrams, in illustration of these and previous returns, showing the fluctuations which have occurred from week to week in the number of workhouse inmates and the number of persons in receipt of out-door relief respectively, during the year terminated on the latter date and each of the six preceding years.

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STATEMENT, compiled from Weekly Returns, showing the number of Persons ended 7th February, 1885, to the week

Week ended Saturday.	Deaths in Workhouses.													
	Attended.			Weekly Children under 16 years of age.	Sick in Workhouse Hospitals.			All other Classes.			Total Buried in Workhouses.	Average Weekly Cost per head for Maintenance (exclusive of clothing).	Deaths.	
	Males.	Females.	Total.		Fever Febrile.	Other Cases.	Total.	Males aged 16 and upwards.	Females aged 16 and upwards.	Total.			No. in the Week.	Weekly rate of Mortality per 1,000.
1885.														
Feb. 7.	2,265	4,794	7,059	9,264	542	18,869	19,411	5,504	7,260	12,764	50,326	2 101	366	6.1
14.	2,268	4,691	6,959	9,337	598	18,688	19,286	5,968	7,400	12,868	50,368	2 102	379	5.6
21.	2,477	4,732	7,209	9,215	693	18,713	19,406	6,882	7,531	14,413	50,342	2 103	356	5.9
28.	2,722	4,762	7,484	9,210	616	18,751	19,367	6,803	7,317	14,110	50,447	2 104	380	5.0
Mar. 7.	2,741	4,647	7,388	9,100	690	18,754	19,444	6,784	7,265	14,049	49,525	2 105	385	5.1
14.	2,838	4,581	7,419	9,071	690	18,629	19,319	6,562	7,210	13,811	49,345	2 106	398	5.5
21.	2,844	4,594	7,438	9,179	611	18,699	19,311	6,564	7,265	13,747	49,693	2 107	395	5.8
28.	2,837	4,588	7,425	9,090	692	18,698	19,390	6,499	7,194	13,693	49,596	2 108	344	4.9
April 4.	2,432	4,621	7,053	9,098	543	18,629	19,172	6,365	7,064	13,799	47,932	2 92	373	5.7
11.	2,281	4,603	6,884	8,994	541	18,682	19,223	6,319	6,980	13,299	47,703	2 91	387	6.0
18.	2,293	4,353	6,646	8,878	578	17,982	18,560	6,315	6,998	13,364	47,238	2 102	380	5.9
25.	2,200	4,651	6,851	8,968	547	17,600	18,147	6,199	6,960	13,166	47,098	2 94	347	5.2
May 2.	2,199	4,736	6,935	8,861	618	17,761	18,379	6,128	6,814	13,081	46,847	2 99	345	5.2
9.	2,175	4,621	6,796	8,688	571	17,727	18,248	6,199	6,849	13,044	46,634	2 94	377	4.9
16.	2,158	4,584	6,742	8,707	688	17,647	18,335	6,168	6,796	12,996	46,416	2 94	346	5.4
23.	2,226	4,658	6,884	8,764	566	17,682	18,248	6,261	6,747	12,908	46,518	2 96	329	4.7
30.	2,224	4,410	6,634	8,754	660	17,661	18,321	6,226	6,750	12,966	46,269	2 99	333	5.1
June 6.	2,155	4,191	6,346	8,622	551	17,365	17,916	6,168	6,689	12,857	45,822	2 83	317	4.7
13.	2,011	4,059	6,070	8,545	468	17,038	17,506	6,167	6,640	12,747	45,118	2 81	383	4.9
20.	2,003	4,073	6,076	8,667	454	16,944	17,397	6,144	6,650	12,774	44,964	2 81	372	4.8
27.	1,922	3,968	5,890	8,569	422	16,737	17,159	6,174	6,628	12,820	44,512	2 81	385	4.9
July 4.	1,878	3,981	5,859	8,545	384	16,626	17,022	6,109	6,638	12,747	44,073	2 81	379	4.9
11.	1,898	3,978	5,876	8,545	374	16,463	16,817	6,084	6,644	12,748	44,041	2 81	370	4.6
18.	1,848	3,979	5,827	8,465	345	16,381	16,726	6,078	6,683	12,763	43,608	2 81	367	4.6
25.	1,818	3,992	5,810	8,417	328	16,316	16,644	6,071	6,640	12,711	43,581	2 81	364	4.6
Aug. 1.	1,836	4,002	5,838	8,418	345	16,365	16,707	6,074	6,595	12,693	43,601	2 81	378	4.6
8.	1,846	3,973	5,819	8,372	316	16,340	16,626	6,068	6,547	12,615	43,584	2 81	362	4.5
15.	1,917	3,978	5,895	8,417	284	16,380	16,664	6,054	6,546	12,604	43,580	2 81	332	4.6
22.	1,926	3,959	5,885	8,365	315	16,367	16,629	6,064	6,441	12,515	43,412	2 81	368	4.9
29.	1,897	3,959	5,856	8,339	318	16,343	16,611	6,053	6,467	12,500	43,200	2 81	371	4.9
Sept. 5.	1,843	3,985	5,828	8,397	373	16,706	17,099	6,510	6,387	12,897	43,461	2 81	373	4.9
12.	1,846	3,973	5,819	8,349	329	16,577	16,906	6,519	6,617	13,136	43,588	2 81	367	4.6
19.	1,964	4,015	5,979	8,353	307	16,653	16,960	6,578	6,594	13,172	43,933	2 81	368	4.8
26.	2,007	4,070	6,077	8,374	404	16,681	17,085	6,536	6,627	13,163	44,003	2 81	333	4.9
Oct. 3.	1,903	4,009	5,912	8,360	379	16,782	17,161	6,574	6,671	13,245	43,232	2 81	360	4.5
10.	2,073	4,171	6,244	8,308	368	16,888	17,247	6,636	6,686	13,324	43,774	2 81	358	4.6
17.	2,091	4,212	6,303	8,371	399	16,961	17,360	6,645	6,706	13,347	44,074	2 81	363	4.7
24.	2,166	4,049	6,215	8,363	391	16,987	17,378	6,658	6,743	13,401	44,246	2 81	372	4.8
31.	2,265	4,234	6,499	8,358	367	16,949	17,316	6,703	6,798	13,501	44,086	2 81	363	4.7
Nov. 7.	2,321	4,286	6,607	8,370	484	16,376	16,830	6,568	6,639	13,205	43,216	2 81	370	4.8
14.	2,373	4,227	6,600	8,399	466	16,428	16,894	6,507	6,669	13,176	43,571	2 81	370	4.7
21.	2,402	4,414	6,816	8,417	419	16,648	17,067	6,508	6,643	13,151	43,166	2 81	386	4.9
28.	2,605	4,481	7,086	8,463	490	16,785	17,268	6,576	6,667	13,243	43,778	2 81	394	4.9
Dec. 5.	2,761	4,595	7,356	9,012	491	16,885	17,340	6,668	6,668	13,336	47,339	2 81	398	4.9
12.	2,834	4,385	7,219	8,969	413	17,077	17,430	6,756	6,669	13,425	47,643	2 81	349	5.1
19.	2,814	4,340	7,154	9,047	441	16,963	17,419	6,777	6,779	13,756	47,660	2 81	368	4.8
26.	2,889	4,598	7,487	9,060	411	16,811	17,222	6,677	6,664	13,741	47,646	2 81	386	4.9
1886.														
Jan. 2.	2,898	4,602	7,500	9,062	602	16,977	17,439	6,792	7,007	13,800	47,774	2 81	318	4.6
9.	2,947	4,602	7,549	8,916	481	17,308	17,789	6,843	7,221	14,064	48,212	2 81	324	4.6
16.	2,904	4,711	7,615	9,204	567	17,361	18,011	6,851	7,257	14,108	48,175	2 81	329	4.6
23.	2,918	4,608	7,526	9,154	518	17,879	18,397	7,017	7,337	14,354	50,348	2 81	328	4.6
30.	2,918	4,707	7,625	9,113	618	18,008	18,626	7,044	7,387	14,431	50,388	2 81	334	4.6



2. The following tables show the maximum, minimum, and average daily number of persons in the workhouses and on out-door relief respectively, during each of the seven years included in the diagrams:—

## RELIEF IN WORKHOUSES.

—	Maximum Number.	Date.	Minimum Number.	Date.	Average Daily Number.
1879-80,	59,091	31 January, 1880	47,421	23 August, 1879	51,946
1880-81,	60,341	21 February, 1880	47,482	4 September, 1880	53,796
1881-82,	58,500	12 February, 1881	47,163	16 September, 1881	52,772
1882-83,	56,045	3 February, 1883	46,130	9 September, 1882	50,569
1883-84,	56,845	17 February, 1883	44,216	15 September, 1883	49,236
1884-85,	53,184	16 February, 1884	43,522	23 August, 1884	47,827
1885-86,	56,426	7 February, 1885	42,266	29 August, 1885	46,180

## OUT-DOOR RELIEF.

—	Maximum Number.	Date.	Minimum Number.	Date.	Average Daily Number.
1879-80,	47,418	7 February, 1880	35,502	11 October, 1879	39,639
1880-81,	93,167	5 February, 1881	46,308	2 October, 1880	69,083
1881-82,	90,605	12 February, 1881	51,437	3 October, 1881	69,196
1882-83,	64,041	3 February, 1883	55,856	14 October, 1882	58,833
1883-84,	65,959	24 February, 1883	55,629	6 October, 1883	60,384
1884-85,	61,509	22 March, 1884	52,427	11 October, 1884	57,829
1885-86,	64,458	30 January, 1886	54,316	3 October, 1885	58,965

3. In our last Annual Report we drew attention to the fact that the returns for the year ended January, 1885, showed a decrease in the average daily number of persons relieved both in and out of the workhouses as compared with the number so relieved in the preceding year.

We have now to report that the returns for the year just ended show a further decline in the average daily number of persons relieved in the workhouses. Your Excellency will observe that the average daily number of persons who received in-door relief in the year 1885-6, is less than the number so relieved in any of the other years included in the above table. There has been, however, an increase in the average daily number of persons afforded relief out of the workhouse, the increase amounting to 1,136 persons.

The average daily number in the workhouses during the past year was 46,188, and on out-door relief 58,965, making a total of 105,153 which is less than the average daily number relieved in and out of the workhouses in the previous year by 3.

4. The following is a statement of the number of persons in workhouses and on out-door relief in the last week of each month during the year ended 30th January last, and in the corresponding weeks of the preceding year, ended 31st January, 1885, showing a decrease in the number of persons who were in receipt of in-door relief, in each month throughout the past year, as compared with the numbers who were in receipt of the same form of relief in the corresponding months of the year 1884-5, and an increase in the number in receipt of out-door relief since May, 1885.

NUMBER OF PERSONS IN WORKHOUSES and on OUT-DOOR RELIEF in the last week of each month during the Year ended 30th January, 1886, and in the corresponding weeks of the preceding year (ended 31st January, 1885).

YEAR 1885-6.				YEAR 1884-5.				Increase in the year 1885-6.		Decrease in the year 1885-6.	
WEEK ENDED	Number of Persons			WEEK ENDED	Number of Persons			In Work- houses.	On Out- door Relief.	In Work- houses.	On Out- door Relief.
	In Work- houses.	On Out- door Relief.	Total.		In Work- houses.	On Out- door Relief.	Total.				
1885.				1884.							
February 25,	52,247	60,036	110,283	February 25,	52,124	60,568	112,692	-	-	1,837	532
March 25,	48,900	58,828	108,728	March 25,	50,774	60,885	111,659	-	-	1,868	1,064
April 25,	47,852	59,418	106,991	April 25,	48,228	60,528	108,828	-	-	1,180	869
May 30,	46,282	60,252	106,532	May 31,	46,747	60,288	107,155	-	-	480	135
June 27,	44,313	60,857	105,470	June 28,	45,478	60,435	105,913	-	522	952	-
July 25,	43,561	60,740	104,336	July 25,	44,851	59,522	104,373	-	1,223	1,393	-
August 29,	43,360	55,380	98,240	August 30,	43,580	54,739	98,319	-	1,253	1,214	-
September 26,	43,603	54,347	98,080	September 27,	44,054	55,507	99,561	-	1,340	1,681	-
October 31,	44,626	55,727	100,383	October 25,	45,018	55,102	98,160	-	2,825	382	-
November 18,	46,173	57,596	104,368	November 26,	47,898	54,656	102,464	-	2,939	1,255	-
December 24,	47,096	59,724	106,810	December 27,	48,164	57,603	105,173	-	2,715	1,038	-
1886.				1885.							
January 30,	50,335	64,458	114,791	January 31,	50,363	58,021	108,384	-	8,837	50	-

5. But, while the above returns represented no increase in pauperism up to the month of January last, we have since that time received very unfavourable reports of the condition of the poor in many parts of Ireland and the weekly relief returns for the months of February and March also indicated unusual distress, the number of persons in workhouses in the last week of March having exceeded those so relieved at the same time last year by 573, and those on out door relief having been in excess of last year by 6,854.

In the west of Mayo and Galway, especially in the islands off the coast of those counties, the potato crop was very deficient, and from that cause, as well as from the very low price of cattle, the poor have lately been in much want, and had not a sufficient supply of seed to crop their land.

In some of the midland and southern counties exceptional distress also prevailed by reason of want of employment, and we were urged by the Boards of Guardians of several Unions to permit outdoor relief to be afforded to the labouring classes, but we could not do so, as we are only enabled by the 2nd section of the Irish Poor Relief Extension Act to adopt that course when the workhouse is full or unfit for the reception of poor persons by reason of fever or other infectious disease.

The want of seed in the islands on the west coast has been met to a great extent from charitable sources, and seed potatoes have been distributed by Mr. Tuke and others who have exerted themselves in that respect in a most benevolent and praiseworthy manner.

The general condition and requirements of the poor have received anxious consideration from our Board and from the Government, and a Bill is now before Parliament with the object of relaxing temporarily the provisions of the Irish Poor Relief Extension Act above referred to, and of assimilating the law in Ireland to that in England where out-door relief may be granted to the able-bodied poor, subject to a labour test, when the circumstances are so exceptional that it is deemed advisable to adopt that course.

The same Bill would enable aid to be afforded from Government funds to some of the poorest Electoral Divisions in the west of Ireland where the rates are wholly unable to meet the charges for relief.

Should it be necessary to take advantage of the powers which will thus be intrusted to us, we shall endeavour to exercise them with due regard to the interests of the ratepayers, and in a manner which will be attended with as little abuse as possible.

The Bill also provides that a Commission shall be constituted for the purpose of constructing or improving any pier, quay, boat-slip, or landing-place, and of improving any road dedicated to the public, in any of the Unions named in the schedule to the Bill.

6. The following is a tabulated account of admissions to the workhouses during the last year, ended 29th September, in comparison with those of the twenty-six preceding years:—

Year ended 29th September.	Number of Persons in Workhouses at the commencement of the Year.	Numbers of Persons admitted during the Year.					Number of Births in the Workhouses during the Year.	Total number of Persons received in the Workhouses during the Year.	Number of Deaths in the Workhouses during the Year.	
		Numbers admitted in sickness.				Number admitted who were not sick.				
		Suffering from Fever or other contagious Disease.	Suffering under other Diseases.	Suffering from accidental Injuries.	Total number admitted in sickness.					
1859,	36,836	9,593	59,000	2,187	64,780	70,334	114,334	2,276	153,700	8,122
1860,	35,596	9,197	59,166	2,095	61,588	63,312	132,900	2,413	176,549	9,377
1861,	36,294	9,293	58,378	2,217	62,665	114,820	164,683	2,185	166,422	10,500
1862,	41,296	11,183	44,833	2,226	58,264	148,432	228,697	2,815	207,887	12,740
1863,	46,181	11,469	44,907	2,431	61,807	178,270	260,127	2,977	264,285	13,596
1864,	49,087	16,757	43,327	2,280	61,864	181,187	272,321	2,880	269,147	12,765
1865,	48,033	16,410	41,496	2,383	62,291	189,695	291,286	2,751	282,170	12,328
1866,	44,837	15,583	38,027	2,363	51,443	199,164	181,587	2,660	282,104	11,541
1867,	44,273	11,766	43,176	2,433	57,373	158,695	211,767	2,654	268,139	12,162
1868,	45,513	11,269	41,831	2,564	55,667	185,226	248,643	2,697	268,663	11,879
1869,	47,773	8,576	41,002	2,441	54,019	181,358	183,377	2,410	233,667	11,247
1870,	45,012	8,125	39,690	2,519	49,763	183,394	183,134	2,282	230,129	10,695
1871,	42,270	8,718	38,513	2,610	49,340	181,492	181,032	2,183	225,519	10,660
1872,	40,691	10,245	39,229	2,340	52,809	187,233	180,743	1,982	232,216	11,848
1873,	40,634	8,238	42,747	2,422	54,404	182,675	206,432	1,963	263,298	12,354
1874,	41,446	8,469	39,563	2,573	50,609	180,933	206,903	1,844	256,195	10,793
1875,	42,060	8,418	37,664	2,888	47,967	121,182	769,149	1,759	213,294	11,679
1876,	40,000	8,578	36,070	2,263	46,931	86,070	146,661	1,643	181,749	10,653
1877,	39,772	6,948	39,690	2,023	49,123	108,223	107,358	1,796	198,331	10,798
1878,	40,711	8,116	43,136	2,781	54,341	181,634	206,665	1,736	248,162	11,826
1879,	43,868	8,285	47,332	2,706	58,283	199,766	256,288	1,928	301,063	13,127
1880,	48,186	8,652	51,717	2,859	62,609	264,679	317,238	1,979	367,383	13,678
1881,	47,972	7,752	45,194	2,701	56,927	267,014	314,971	1,991	363,344	11,859
1882,	47,311	7,672	44,601	2,672	51,425	230,161	284,596	1,966	332,813	14,648
1883,	46,635	6,372	43,813	2,891	53,976	260,846	256,962	1,942	304,180	13,164
1884,	46,779	5,691	44,018	3,399	53,105	260,297	253,343	1,842	300,933	10,933
1885,	44,019	6,540	44,827	2,171	52,298	225,463	274,693	1,838	320,388	11,415

It will be observed from the above that there has been a decrease of 867 in the total number admitted in sickness, and an increase of 22,218 in the number admitted who were not sick, thus showing an increase of 21,351 in the total number admitted during the year as compared with the previous year. The number suffering from fever or other contagious disease was less by 1,151

than in the previous year, and the total number of persons relieved in workhouses shows an increase of 20,587.

7. The following is a statement of the result of the weekly summaries of in-door relief, showing the average daily number of recipients of relief for each of the thirty-three years ended 29th September, 1885:—

Average Daily Number in receipt of Relief during the year, Average Number of Deaths per Week, and Rate of Mortality.

Year ended 29th Sept.	Estimated Population.	Able-bodied.			Daily children under 16.	Sent to Workhouse Hospitals.			All other Classes.			Total No. in Workhouse.	Average Number during week.	Average weekly Rate of Mortality per 1,000 inmates.	Percentage of Deaths amongst Paupers.
		Males.	Females.	Total.		Fevers.	Other Cases.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.				
1853.	5,596,335	10,503	56,351	37,526	57,734	2,996	20,416	23,336	3,964	6,887	10,751	129,401	183	3.0	3.05
1854.	5,186,339	7,114	16,325	15,439	30,854	2,167	18,836	21,026	3,182	5,648	8,831	96,196	204	3.2	1.54
1855.	5,107,899	8,048	14,985	19,134	31,843	2,652	18,714	20,377	2,853	5,094	7,947	79,211	287	3.5	1.30
1856.	5,077,283	3,676	10,888	14,564	23,869	1,518	16,479	17,997	2,680	4,645	7,325	63,238	259	3.2	1.04
1857.	5,047,402	2,807	7,762	10,579	17,893	1,504	14,176	15,680	2,734	4,137	6,871	56,986	178	3.6	0.84
1858.	5,013,163	2,313	7,121	9,433	14,266	1,166	14,039	15,205	2,125	4,015	6,144	45,796	180	3.9	0.76
1859.	5,025,113	1,865	5,899	7,764	11,511	974	13,802	14,775	9,242	4,098	6,729	40,380	154	2.8	0.67
1860.	5,068,820	1,867	6,090	7,957	11,316	934	13,604	14,538	9,775	4,765	7,530	41,371	184	4.5	0.69
1861.	5,738,564	2,523	6,860	9,382	12,507	1,032	14,343	15,377	3,136	5,221	8,359	45,130	105	4.5	0.78
1862.	5,794,674	3,039	8,516	11,555	14,017	1,362	16,135	17,500	3,056	6,061	9,117	55,658	244	4.5	0.92
1863.	5,789,711	3,237	8,568	11,805	15,208	1,578	16,560	18,138	4,640	6,664	11,290	57,910	257	4.4	1.01
1864.	5,728,516	2,849	7,676	10,525	15,176	1,654	16,746	18,400	4,706	6,722	11,428	56,825	244	4.6	0.89
1865.	5,673,909	3,546	6,657	9,199	15,259	1,836	16,362	18,200	4,532	6,696	11,228	53,017	237	4.3	0.95
1866.	5,602,625	3,212	6,872	9,084	14,278	1,357	15,672	17,029	4,411	6,477	10,888	50,280	221	4.4	0.90
1867.	5,537,196	3,303	6,133	8,436	15,200	1,297	15,564	16,741	4,819	6,964	11,773	48,134	232	4.6	0.94
1868.	5,562,285	2,406	6,133	8,539	16,024	1,196	15,369	16,565	5,234	7,034	12,268	53,656	221	4.1	0.97
1869.	5,536,217	3,373	5,892	8,064	15,244	1,220	15,568	16,788	5,262	6,969	12,231	52,247	216	4.1	0.94
1870.	5,516,674	3,007	5,979	7,987	13,685	945	15,344	16,290	5,254	6,698	11,952	49,186	206	4.1	0.89
1871.	5,462,759	1,830	4,591	6,421	12,089	923	15,061	15,984	5,661	6,423	11,489	46,945	193	4.2	0.93
1872.	5,368,166	1,763	4,538	6,301	11,469	1,030	15,247	16,245	5,246	6,606	11,746	45,733	229	5.0	0.96
1873.	5,244,151	1,831	4,527	6,358	11,661	930	15,468	16,376	5,580	6,734	12,314	46,711	237	5.1	0.97
1874.	5,314,844	1,879	4,700	6,579	11,672	893	15,210	16,103	6,484	8,777	15,261	46,981	207	4.4	0.98
1875.	5,307,454	1,775	4,505	6,279	11,887	801	15,721	16,522	5,884	6,884	12,768	45,945	221	4.8	0.97
1876.	5,311,518	1,679	4,130	5,809	10,134	607	15,666	16,333	5,270	6,007	11,277	43,652	204	4.7	0.92
1877.	5,338,966	1,745	3,993	5,738	9,899	700	15,009	15,666	5,260	6,169	11,389	43,594	207	4.7	0.92
1878.	5,351,090	2,647	4,448	6,095	10,546	826	16,876	17,703	5,766	6,519	12,285	47,022	227	4.6	0.88
1879.	5,368,337	2,409	4,746	7,155	11,193	802	17,296	18,104	6,232	6,811	13,049	49,395	254	5.1	0.93
1880.	5,327,100	2,815	5,165	7,980	12,220	1,037	18,264	19,343	6,842	7,250	14,093	54,245	226	4.8	1.02
1881.	5,323,666	2,706	4,973	7,679	11,618	892	18,253	19,179	6,482	7,138	13,624	52,730	228	4.3	1.03
1882.	5,356,006	2,868	4,797	7,665	10,553	859	18,292	19,251	6,779	6,928	13,707	50,663	204	4.0	0.99
1883.	5,315,328	2,669	4,733	7,402	10,266	783	18,296	19,069	6,439	7,112	13,551	50,316	222	5.0	1.00
1884.	5,282,376	2,223	4,625	6,748	9,223	671	17,400	18,066	6,900	7,140	14,040	47,692	210	4.4	0.96
1885.	5,281,322	2,346	4,399	6,545	8,535	860	17,567	18,428	6,911	7,338	14,249	46,468	219	4.7	0.94



8. We here continue from last Report a form of table exhibiting for the last thirty-five years the per-centage in each successive year of the several classes of workhouse inmates as compared with the whole number—

CLASSIFIED RETURN of the Number of Inmates of Workhouses in Ireland, on the first Saturday of January; and the per-centage of the several classes on the total Number of Inmates.

First Saturday of January.	Inmates not in Hospital.				Number in Hospital.	Total Number in Workhouse.	Per-centage of Total Number.				
	Able-bodied.		Children under 16 years of age.	Other classes.			Able-bodied.		Children under 16 years of age not in Hospital.	Other classes not in Hospital.	In Hospital.
	Males.	Females.					Males.	Females.			
3 Jan., 1829	16,194	37,652	16,192	11,854	28,046	158,248	9.6	22.4	45.5	7.0	19.5
1 " 1830	13,521	30,628	12,944	10,375	23,319	138,704	9.6	23.6	46.7	7.8	19.8
7 " 1831	9,229	21,534	12,712	8,750	21,462	101,604	8.8	20.3	40.9	8.4	21.6
6 " 1832	6,197	16,207	21,254	4,232	20,106	85,995	7.9	19.1	40.2	9.4	23.6
5 " 1833	4,546	13,702	27,368	7,717	13,989	73,247	6.4	19.0	37.7	10.7	26.2
3 " 1834	3,513	9,382	19,177	6,541	14,671	55,183	6.4	14.8	34.8	12.9	39.0
2 " 1835	3,803	8,337	15,598	6,387	14,095	45,398	5.6	15.5	31.7	18.9	39.6
1 " 1836	2,947	6,960	13,732	6,447	14,263	43,299	5.1	15.9	29.2	14.8	35.0
7 " 1837	2,184	6,791	11,707	2,527	15,009	43,218	5.1	15.7	27.1	17.4	34.7
5 " 1838	2,223	7,799	13,705	8,425	15,759	47,522	5.3	16.5	28.8	17.9	33.5
4 " 1839	2,484	8,154	13,222	9,811	17,455	55,108	6.2	16.7	27.6	17.8	31.6
3 " 1840	4,030	9,644	16,750	11,193	18,421	60,038	6.7	16.1	27.9	18.6	30.7
2 " 1841	3,638	8,921	17,170	11,682	18,253	59,607	6.1	14.9	28.7	19.8	30.5
7 " 1842	3,368	8,024	16,621	12,104	19,345	59,428	5.7	13.6	28.0	20.2	32.6
6 " 1843	2,991	6,894	15,494	11,501	17,545	54,425	5.8	12.7	28.3	21.1	32.4
5 " 1844	2,615	7,228	14,791	11,621	17,366	54,930	5.6	12.8	28.7	21.8	31.9
4 " 1845	2,906	7,089	16,995	12,961	16,735	56,683	5.1	12.5	26.8	22.9	32.5
3 " 1846	2,522	7,022	16,544	12,125	16,870	56,964	5.1	12.4	29.4	23.1	32.6
2 " 1847	2,666	6,338	16,868	12,735	16,890	53,687	5.0	11.8	28.1	23.7	31.4
7 " 1848	2,503	5,670	13,524	12,366	16,832	50,815	4.9	11.0	26.6	24.3	33.2
6 " 1849	2,365	5,197	12,431	12,203	16,552	48,738	4.6	10.7	25.6	25.2	34.0
4 " 1850	2,331	5,447	12,360	12,698	17,093	49,456	4.7	10.9	26.8	25.5	34.1
3 " 1851	2,285	5,389	12,168	12,777	16,686	48,193	4.6	10.7	26.7	26.0	33.9
2 " 1852	2,333	5,396	12,187	12,883	17,512	49,895	4.7	10.4	24.5	26.9	34.5
1 " 1853	2,082	4,886	10,974	11,860	16,567	46,314	4.5	9.9	22.7	26.9	33.9
6 " 1854	2,107	4,359	10,535	11,947	16,784	45,762	4.6	9.6	23.0	26.1	36.7
5 " 1855	2,510	4,932	11,176	12,806	18,002	49,362	5.1	9.9	22.6	26.9	36.5
4 " 1856	2,812	5,118	11,785	13,363	19,083	51,764	5.6	9.9	22.0	26.6	36.9
3 " 1857	3,596	5,769	15,123	14,735	20,219	57,458	6.1	10.0	22.8	26.7	36.4
2 " 1858	3,308	5,515	15,222	14,426	19,832	55,304	6.0	10.0	22.6	26.1	36.9
7 " 1859	3,278	5,254	11,412	13,293	19,884	53,731	6.3	9.9	21.2	26.7	36.2
6 " 1860	3,288	5,143	11,063	13,552	19,324	52,749	6.1	9.6	20.6	25.9	37.8
5 " 1861	2,812	4,874	9,907	13,669	18,381	49,864	5.6	9.8	19.9	28.0	36.7
3 " 1862	2,725	4,641	9,330	13,874	18,597	48,909	5.6	9.6	19.1	28.4	37.4
2 " 1863	2,318	4,502	9,086	13,829	17,480	47,774	6.0	9.5	19.0	29.0	36.6

9. We here subjoin a tabular statement showing the number of "night lodgers" (a term corresponding to "casuals" in England), from month to month, for the past twelve months, in continuation of a similar table in last Report.

## RETURN OF NIGHT-LODGERS OR CASUALS relieved.

Week ended	Number relieved during the week.				Number in Workhouses at close of the week.				Number relieved in corresponding week of 1884.
	Males.	Females.	Children under 15.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Children under 15.	Total.	
7th March, 1885.	2,455	527	471	3,453	825	166	85	546	2,815
4th April, "	2,180	489	446	3,125	827	95	93	515	2,780
2nd May, "	2,637	606	569	3,802	815	114	87	516	2,717
6th June, "	2,300	551	547	3,398	815	81	97	493	2,630
4th July, "	1,943	503	510	2,956	773	77	67	417	2,583
1st August, "	1,863	582	523	2,973	743	92	74	429	2,532
5th September, "	2,235	519	424	3,178	750	80	76	414	2,917
3rd October, "	2,013	516	415	2,944	746	65	51	364	2,683
7th November, "	2,436	492	447	3,393	811	55	43	409	2,671
5th December, "	2,742	490	366	3,610	877	79	73	529	2,750
2nd January, 1886.	2,760	381	363	3,506	844	59	56	459	2,812
6th February, "	2,792	357	340	3,519	856	57	49	462	3,222
6th March, "	2,819	503	470	3,792	867	83	78	523	3,453

10. As part of the statistics, which are brought up very nearly to the date of this Report, the following table exhibits in the accustomed form:—

## CLASSIFICATION of Causes of Death in Workhouses, from 17th January, 1885, to 16th January, 1886.

CHRONIC DISEASE.	In the four Weeks ended														Previous Year.
	14th Feb.	14th March.	11th April.	9th May.	6th June.	4th July.	1st Aug.	29th Aug.	26th Sep.	24th Oct.	21st Nov.	19th Dec.	16th Jan.	Total.	
Age, . . .	319	312	320	294	266	195	183	151	168	175	125	208	244	2,913	2,292
Apoplexy, . .	5	10	7	3	5	5	3	4	8	7	9	6	9	83	95
Asthma, . . .	7	5	9	10	5	4	4	3	6	5	4	2	3	68	75
Atrophy, . . .	61	51	62	49	34	28	20	32	37	36	63	60	59	623	1,019
Brain Disease, .	38	36	20	41	39	30	26	38	35	32	43	32	34	448	436
Cancer, . . .	29	19	11	21	17	23	18	23	17	11	11	17	13	240	263
Childbirth, . .	-	1	2	1	2	-	1	-	-	1	1	5	-	11	5
Cholera, . . .	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2
Consumption, .	92	108	117	119	102	106	75	83	86	63	75	77	87	1,167	1,048
Convulsions, . .	16	19	18	22	19	12	15	9	8	10	16	13	24	192	154
Croup, . . .	-	4	3	1	3	3	3	1	4	-	-	5	5	26	17
Diarrhoea, . . .	30	18	12	25	16	12	16	9	22	15	22	22	26	240	203

CLASSIFICATION of Causes of Death in Workhouses, from 17th January, 1885, to 16th January, 1886—continued.

Causes of Death.	In the four Weeks ended													Previous Year.
	14th Feb.	14th March.	14th April.	14th May.	14th June.	14th July.	14th Aug.	14th Sept.	14th Oct.	14th Nov.	14th Dec.	14th Jan.	Total.	
Dropsy, . . .	21	16	31	9	14	14	11	13	16	19	18	21	204	184
Dysentery, . .	4	1	5	1	3	1	1	5	2	1	5	5	26	30
Dyspepsia, . .	2	3	2	3	1	6	3	6	3	1	2	1	23	24
Epilepsy, . . .	9	6	7	11	9	4	9	7	6	3	8	6	91	86
Fever, . . . .	23	39	34	34	43	27	28	31	29	25	27	23	371	510
Gangrene, . .	10	9	8	2	10	11	3	2	—	3	5	3	69	62
Heart Disease, .	28	31	51	48	29	27	49	28	29	35	15	47	471	554
Hooping Cough, .	19	11	5	6	4	3	3	4	3	3	1	4	68	85
Inflammation or other disease of Bowels, . .	9	11	8	6	5	8	9	6	12	3	5	10	108	146
Kidneys, . . .	14	13	8	17	15	7	2	6	8	11	7	9	123	131
Liver, . . . .	8	9	15	10	8	11	5	7	10	3	4	10	109	186
Lungs, . . . .	262	242	244	185	171	113	100	86	82	94	112	145	1,907	1,529
Malaria, . . .	16	26	9	20	4	3	—	1	—	—	—	7	103	23
Paralysis, . . .	34	26	25	20	23	16	29	16	17	34	19	30	322	384
Pleurisy, . . .	—	1	1	4	1	—	1	—	1	1	1	—	12	19
Rheumatism, . .	4	7	16	9	8	9	5	7	3	3	3	6	80	76
Scalds, . . . .	2	1	3	6	—	2	1	—	1	—	—	1	22	73
Scrofula, . . .	9	3	9	6	11	4	6	4	6	7	7	7	89	110
Small-pox, . .	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	—	—	2	1
Ulcer, . . . .	9	9	3	3	3	6	7	11	10	13	9	3	101	78
Other Diseases, .	48	43	59	30	24	33	24	24	26	29	46	29	457	484
<b>Total, . . .</b>	<b>1,129</b>	<b>1,094</b>	<b>1,088</b>	<b>999</b>	<b>917</b>	<b>773</b>	<b>683</b>	<b>619</b>	<b>637</b>	<b>643</b>	<b>697</b>	<b>819</b>	<b>10,925</b>	<b>—</b>
<b>Previous year,</b>	<b>938</b>	<b>1,070</b>	<b>1,095</b>	<b>1,016</b>	<b>867</b>	<b>818</b>	<b>720</b>	<b>603</b>	<b>609</b>	<b>648</b>	<b>785</b>	<b>978</b>	<b>11,090</b>	<b>11,938</b>

The total number of deaths in the workhouses in the fifty-two weeks comprised in the table has been 10,925. In the corresponding table in the last Annual Report the total number of deaths was 11,238; so that there has been a decrease of 313 deaths, as compared with the number in the previous year.

Deaths by fever were 371, as against 510; by lung disease, 1,997, as against 1,929; and deaths by small-pox 2, as against 1 in the previous year.

#### ORPHANS AND DESERTED CHILDREN.

11. The number of orphans and deserted children out at nurse from the workhouses in Ireland, under the provisions of the Act 39 and 40 Vic. c. 38, on the 30th of January last was 2,549, being an increase of 22 over the number on the corresponding date in the preceding year.

## SEED SUPPLY.

12. With respect to the loans under the Seed Supply Act, we were able in our two last Reports to speak favourably of the progress of the collection under that Act, and the repayment of the debt has proceeded during the past year, on the whole, satisfactorily.

The amount advanced to Boards of Guardians in the year 1880 under the Seed Supply Act, after crediting the unions with the sums refunded, was £598,306 10s. 9d. Of this debt £536,255 10s. 1d. had been paid up to the 5th of February last leaving only £62,051 0s. 8d. due on that date, which was owing by forty-five unions, situated principally in the poorest parts of Ireland, the Guardians of 108 unions having paid in full, and it appeared that considerably more than one-third of the balance due had been collected by the Boards of Guardians, while the remainder was still unpaid by the purchasers of the seed. Having represented all the facts of the case to your Excellency, we were informed that the Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury sanctioned the proposal we had made that, provided the Boards of Guardians now in arrear pay over to the Board of Works on or before the 1st of May in this year all the money collected by them on account of seed rate, the Board of Works shall not press for the remainder of the debt due until the 1st of April next year. The correspondence on the subject will be found in the Appendix.

## EMIGRATION.

13. We now continue the series of recent statistics by repeating, with one additional year, the table showing the number of persons assisted by Boards of Guardians to emigrate under the provisions of the Irish Poor Relief Acts, and the cost incurred for that purpose in each year, that is to say, for thirty-six years, ended on the 25th of March.

EMIGRATION under the Act 12 & 13 Vic., c. 104, sec. 20, dated 1st August, 1849.

Period.	Amount authorized to be expended by Scaled Certificates.	Number of Persons assisted to Emigrate.			
		Men.	Women.	Children under 15 years of age.	Total.
Aug., 1849, to 25 Mar., 1851,	£ s. d. 11,151 14 11	561	1,244	787	2,592
Year ended 25 March, 1852,	21,610 5 4	790	2,644	952	4,386
" " 1853,	14,517 0 11	492	2,218	1,115	3,825
" " 1854,	12,446 17 6	403	1,362	996	2,661
" " 1855,	24,368 5 2	159	2,847	788	3,794
" " 1856,	3,618 6 9	64	363	403	830
" " 1857,	2,719 15 1	75	305	363	802
" " 1858,	4,177 10 1	58	469	302	829
" " 1859,	2,555 16 6	37	370	180	487
" " 1860,	1,729 19 2	45	178	141	364
" " 1861,	1,465 19 11	44	178	125	347
" " 1862,	538 17 4	12	72	88	172
" " 1863,	2,439 10 3	41	317	189	497
" " 1864,	4,770 4 5	123	501	345	969
" " 1865,	2,518 17 11	93	315	438	846
" " 1866,	3,425 9 11	100	360	660	1,120
" " 1867,	2,028 10 0	66	238	459	763
" " 1868,	1,983 9 6	71	263	485	819
" " 1869,	1,853 13 9	71	265	453	715
" " 1870,	1,953 12 5	49	219	449	717
" " 1871,	2,268 9 11	53	226	423	701
" " 1872,	2,092 8 10	34	223	338	596
" " 1873,	1,564 14 8	44	173	264	581
" " 1874,	2,246 3 3	67	323	474	864
" " 1875,	1,247 15 1	36	192	380	608
" " 1876,	991 0 6	38	97	223	358
" " 1877,	556 17 4	13	71	116	200
" " 1878,	330 4 7	15	49	84	148
" " 1879,	551 1 3	32	83	129	244
" " 1880,	721 5 1	55	91	146	292
" " 1881,	3,482 16 0	210	558	546	1,314
" " 1882,	4,211 2 2	295	564	603	1,462
" " 1883,	4,292 16 3	312	654	690	1,656
" " 1884,	4,346 5 2	417	840	904	2,161
" " 1885,	1,588 5 8	105	309	499	913
" " 1886,	1,153 13 1	64	233	334	631
Total, . . . £	192,902 10 10	5,145	19,182	15,337	40,154

## AMALGAMATION OF UNIONS.

14. Since our last Report we have received some applications from Boards of Guardians for the amalgamation of their Unions with other Unions.

The first of these applications came from the Board of Guardians of the Newport Union, in the county of Mayo, the desire of the Guardians being that the Union should be amalgamated with the Westport Union, from which it was taken on the recom-

menation of the Boundary Commissioners in the year 1849, the Electoral Division of Glenhest having been subsequently detached from the Castlebar Union and added to Newport Union.

The Newport Union was formed mainly on consideration of the increased facilities which it was deemed might be afforded to the destitute poor for obtaining in-door relief, by means of a workhouse built at Newport, and much service was, no doubt, rendered in this way:—The affairs of the Union were managed satisfactorily for many years, but owing to the small valuation of the area comprised in the Union, and the additional charges upon it, there was found to be the greatest difficulty in making and collecting rates sufficient for the purposes of the Union.

Grants in aid of the rates were made from time to time, from funds which were at the time available, but there having been, in the winter of 1883, some recovery from the depression which had previously prevailed it was intimated to the Guardians that the Union must thenceforth be dependent on its own resources without further extraneous assistance.

The Guardians then passed a resolution expressing a desire that the Union should be amalgamated with adjoining Unions, and based their application on the grounds that the existing area of taxation was wholly insufficient for the current expenditure, and that the amalgamation might be carried out without hardship to the poor, and with advantage to the Unions concerned.

A meeting of the ratepayers of the Union was subsequently held to consider the financial prospects of the Union, and in response to a memorial prepared thereat, which was supported by a resolution of the Guardians at a specially convened meeting, an inquiry into the subject was directed by our Board.

We finally decided, after careful consideration, to amalgamate the Newport and Westport Unions, and the amalgamation order will be found in the Appendix; this is the first instance in which we have taken such a step, and we annex a copy of the report of the inquiry which was instituted on the subject by our Inspector, Mr. Robinson, which will show your Excellency the grounds on which we determined to make the change.

This application has been followed by applications from the Boards of Guardians of Oughterard and Donaghmore Unions.

An inquiry was held in the case of Oughterard Union by our Inspectors, Mr. Robinson and Mr. Micks, and, as it appeared that there was not sufficient accommodation in the Galway Workhouse for the inmates of Oughterard Workhouse who would be transferred if the amalgamation took place, we decided not to disturb the existing arrangement of the boundaries of the Union.

The case of the Donaghmore Union has been inquired into by our Inspector, Mr. R. Bourke, and his report and the evidence obtained are still under our consideration.

## LABOURERS ACTS.

15. In paragraph 14 of our Report for 1885, we detailed the proceedings under the Labourers (Ireland) Act, 1883, and stated that up to the date of our Report we had made orders authorizing Sanitary Authorities in thirty-nine Unions to provide 3,022 labourers' dwellings, with allotments of land thereto.

Further petitions had likewise been received for Provisional Orders under the Act from twenty-seven Unions, projecting the building of 1,155 cottages, at an estimated expense of £113,461.

As stated in that Report, the Sanitary Authorities had, in some instances, deferred taking steps to carry out the schemes authorized pending an expected amendment of the law which might afford greater facilities for carrying the Act into execution.

The Amending Act received the Royal assent on the 14th August, 1885, and on the 25th of August we forwarded a copy of the Act to each Rural Sanitary Authority, and on the 9th September a revised instructional memorandum for their guidance was also issued, which will be found in the Appendix.

The Act of 1885 made several important changes in the law:—

Limited owners are now empowered to grant leases to Sanitary Authorities for any term not exceeding ninety-nine years. Lands may be taken compulsorily for a term of years (not to exceed ninety-nine), confirmation of such leases, and the determination of the rent, &c., being effected by the Irish Land Commission.

The Act also renders provisional orders by our Board absolute if not appealed against within one month after their making and publication, but if appealed against confirmation by the Privy Council becomes necessary.

Additional powers are given as to the amendment of orders confirmed by Parliament with a view to the land being taken for a term of years instead of by absolute purchase, the amendments of schemes before orders are made as to repairing existing cottages and allotting thereto a plot of land, and the demolition or closing of houses unfit for human habitation, and there are other provisions tending to facilitate the operation of the Acts.

Sanitary Authorities are also empowered to fix the area on which expenses under the Act shall be chargeable.

In pursuance of section 12, sub-section 2, and sections 13 and 15 of the Act of 1885, we issued an order regulating the time within which petitions against provisional orders should be lodged, and also as to the publication of orders, and the advertisement of amendments.

We further issued an order, in pursuance of section 22 of the Act, as to set off of rates due by owners of lands taken under the Acts against rents due to them.

Copies of these orders will be found in the Appendix.

Copies are also given in the Appendix of the rules made in pursuance of sections 12 and 13, as to appeals against provisional orders, and of the rules and forms made by the Irish Land Commission, in pursuance of section 5,

The partial and temporary cessation of proceedings by Sanitary Authorities alluded to above, pending an amendment of the Labourers (Ireland) Act, 1883, has been followed by increased activity since the passing of the Act of 1885.

In many Unions in which there had been before no steps taken the Sanitary Authorities are now putting the Acts into operation, and fresh schemes are being made in Unions where the Act of 1883 had already been taken advantage of.

The following Tables, I. and II., will show in detail what has been done up to the date of the Report under schemes which have been authorized, and also what is proposed under new improvement schemes.

Table I. shows that out of the 3,401 houses authorized, 610 have been built, and 479 of these actually let, and that 846 others are at present in progress of erection; the amount of loans sanctioned in the Unions where schemes have been authorized being £220,627 3s. 10d.

Table II. shows what is proposed under new improvement schemes, the number of cottages being 10,899, and 54 present dwellings to be repaired, the estimated cost, £1,110,322 6s. 2d., and the Table also gives the proposed mode of tenure of the lands to be taken.

The cottages already built and plots of land attached have been let to agricultural labourers at weekly rents varying from 6d. to (in one Union) 1s. 6d., the rate generally being 1s., these being the amounts which, in the opinion of the Sanitary Authorities, the labourers would be able to pay. The difference between these amounts and the cost of the cottages and plots will be chargeable on the areas selected, and will be met by the rate-payers in the respective areas of charge.

[TABLE I.



TABLE I.—RETURN showing what has been done under Improvement Schemes Authorized.

UNIONS.	Date of Order.	No. of Schemes	Number of Electoral Divisions.	Number of Houses					Average Rent (Weekly).	Amount of Loan Sanctioned.	Area of Charge.	
				Authorised.	Built.	In Progress.	Not yet commenced.	Abandoned (if any).				Actually Let.
PROVINCE OF ULSTER.												
	—	—	—	—	—	NIL.	—	—	—	£ s. d.	—	—
PROVINCE OF MUNSTER.												
Co. CLARE.												
Ennis,	14 May, 1883.	4	13	17	1	4	13	—	—	214 0 0	Dispersary District.	Electoral Division.
Kiladyest,	16 April, 1884.	9	9	19	6	6	6	3	—	1,845 0 0	Do.	
Tulla,	30 April, 1884.	10	10	82	62	4	3	13	0 1 0	8,045 3 6	Do.	
Co. CORK.												
Bandon,	16 July, 1883.	1	1	8	—	—	—	—	—	—	Electoral Division.	Do.
Chapelizod,	17 April, 1884.	3	3	9	5	3	—	1	0 1 0	501 0 0	St. Mary's Ward.	
Cork,	8 May, 1884.	1	1	6	—	6	—	—	—	—	Electoral Division.	
Inchmarrow,	9 February, 1884.	1	1	6	—	—	—	—	—	—	Electoral Division.	Do.
Fermoy,	14 May, 1884.	4	4	23	—	12	8	—	—	1,814 0 0	Do.	
Kestock,	6 May, 1884.	17	17	163	—	140	—	—	—	15,500 0 0	Do.	
Kestock,	16 April, 1883.	4	4	12	—	12	—	—	—	—	Do.	Do.
Marcom,	9 May, 1884.	1	1	72	60	16	—	14	0 2 4 per month.	6,480 0 0	Do.	
Malton,	21 March, 1885.	11	11	58	—	8	14	1	—	—	Do.	
Mitchelstown,	28 April, 1884.	1	1	62	25	31	—	12	0 1 0	5,090 0 0	Do.	Do.
Youghall,	25 November, 1883.	10	10	43	—	31	17	—	—	—	Do.	
Co. KERRY.												
Trillick,	2 May, 1884.	20	20	190	—	—	170	8	—	15,542 0 0	Electoral Division.	

\* But included in present scheme.

TABLE I.—Returns showing what has been done under Improvement Schemes Authorized—continued.

TOWN.	Date of Order.	No. of Schemes.	Number of Electrical Divisions.	Number of Horses				Average Rent (Weekly).	Amount of Loan Sanctioned.	Area of Charge.
				Authorised.	Build.	In Progress.	Not yet commenced.			
PROVINCE OF MUNSTER—continued.										
Co. LIMERICK.										
Croom, . . . . .	12 May, 1884, . .	11	16	67	14	50	13	6	£ s. d. 5,402 0 0	Electrical Division or group of Electrical Divisions.
Glin, . . . . .	9 May, 1884, . .	12	12	63	16	41	9	3	0 0 10	Do.
Kinsale, . . . . .	21 May, 1884, . .	23	28	150	29	92	65	13	0 4 6	Do.
Limerick, . . . . .	8 May, 1884, . .	39	30	255	99	9	145	10	monthly.	Do.
Neerossie, . . . . .	17 May, 1884, . .	1	19	162	73	24	1	2	0 1 6	Do.
Rathkeale, . . . . .	3 May, 1884, . .	11	11	81	13	54	1	8	8s. 6d. 10d.	Do.
Co. TYRONE.										
Carleton Place, . . . . .	23 March, 1884, . .	1	1	17	4	1	3	4	0 1 0	Electrical Division.
Cashel, . . . . .	14 May, 1884, . .	1	23	172	65	65	65	13	—	Do.
Chesham, . . . . .	14 May, 1884, . .	9	9	96	91	3	3	2	3,100 0 6	Do.
Donagh, . . . . .	8 May, 1884, . .	4	4	14	42	13	13	6	—	Do.
Thyrone, . . . . .	10 May, 1884, . .	9	9	68	42	1	1	1	0 4 0	Do.
Thyrone, . . . . .	14 May, 1884, . .	11	11	135	91	33	113	1	monthly.	Do.
Thyrone, . . . . .	23 May, 1884, . .	17	17	241	1	35	201	4	{ 2,725 0 0 6,215 0 0 }	Do.
Co. WATERFORD.										
Kilnashinna, . . . . .	29 August, 1884, . .	1	6	30	8	20	25	10	—	Electrical Division.
Lisane, . . . . .	10 May, 1884, . .	11	11	61	8	20	25	10	—	Do.
Total, . . . . .	—	227	231	2,132	422	613	556	130	£ 121,423 3 6	

PROVINCE OF  
LEINSTER.  
Co. CARLOW.

Carlow, . . . . .	1 May, 1884 . . .	6	0	43	.	.	.	43	.	.	.	—	Electoral Division.
Co. DUBLIN.													
Balrothery, . . . . .	18 April, 1884, . .	1	3	31	.	4	.	37	2	.	700 0 0	Electoral Division.	
Dublin, North, . . . .	29 April, 1884, . .	2	1	16	10	14	.	.	.	16	2,200 0 0	Do.	
	23 March, 1885, . .	1	1	10	.	.	.	.	.	.	1,100 0 0	Do.	
Co. KILDARE.													
Adhy, . . . . .	20 May, 1884, . .	2	2	13	3	.	.	12	4	.	1,420 0 0	Electoral Division.	
	18 April, 1885, . .	1	1	10	.	2	.	10	.	.	—	—	—
Co. LONGFORD.													
Ballymahon,† . . . .	18 April, 1885, . .	10	1	45	.	.	.	45	.	.	—	Electoral Division.	
Longford, . . . . .	18 April, 1885, . .	1	1	3	.	.	.	3	.	.	—	Do.	
Co. LOUGH.													
Drogheda, . . . . .	7 April, 1884, . .	4	51	11	11	1	.	20	.	2	7,713 0 0	Dispersary District in two cases; Electoral Division in two cases.	
Dundalk, . . . . .	23 March, 1885, . .	1	1	6	.	.	.	6	.	.	—	Electoral Division.	
Co. MEATH.													
Dunshaughlin,† . . . .	9 February, 1885, . .	3	3	24	.	.	.	24	.	.	—	Electoral Division.	
Kells, . . . . .	20 April, 1884, . .	15	13	45	.	1	.	52	2	.	12,000 0 0	Do.	
NANAN, . . . . .	13 May, 1884, . .	9	9	139	4	46	.	55	4	.	17,924 0 0	Dispersary District.	
	19 May, 1884, . .	9	9	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—
Trillick, . . . . .	26 April, 1884, . .	15	15	53	.	45	.	.	6	.	4,794 16 0	Electoral Division.	
	21 March, 1885, . .	3	3	16	.	.	.	16	.	.	—	—	—

TABLE I.—REVIEWS showing what has been done under Improvement Schemes Authorized—continued.

Unions.	Date of Order.	No. of Schemes.	Number of Electoral Divisions.	Number of Houses.					Average Rent (Weekly).	Amount of Loan Sanctioned.	Area of Charge.	
				Authorized.	Build.	In progress.	Not yet commenced.	Abandoned (if any).				Actually Let.
PROVINCE OF LEINSTER—continued.												
Co. Wicklow.												
Dublin.	15 May, 1884.	21	21	125	.	47	66	20	.	£ 1 0	14,850 0 0	Electoral Division.
Mullingar.	18 May, 1884.	30	30	163	.	39	64	.	.	—	25,714 10 6	Electoral Division.
Co. Wexford.												
Ennisceorthy.	9 April, 1884.	17	17	78	32	10	17	10	.	£ 0 10	6,098 0 0	Electoral Division.
Gorey.	21 April, 1884.	9	9	21	.	15	21	.	.	—	Do.	Do.
New Ross.	17 April, 1884.	11	11	24	4	15	5	.	2	—	1,669 0 0	Do.
Wexford.	18 April, 1884.	1	2	18	.	.	18	.	.	—	Do.	Do.
Co. Wicklow.												
Rathdown.	30 April, 1884.	7	7	10	4	.	15	.	4	£ 1 3	400 0 0	Electoral Division.
Shillagh.	18 April, 1884.	4	4	19	.	.	19	.	.	—	Do.	Do.
Total.	—	137	218	1,240	118	228	794	159	159	—	£98,189 0 4	Do.
PROVINCE OF CONNAUGHT.												
Co. Leitrim.												
Carraig-na-Shannan.	23 April, 1884.	5	5	5	.	.	5	.	1	—	—	Electoral Division.
Monaghan.	12 February, 1884.	1	1	4	.	.	4	.	.	—	—	Do.
Total.	—	6	6	9	.	.	9	.	.	—	—	Do.
TOTAL FOR ALL IRELAND.												
£ 250,637 3 10												

† In these cases Amending Orders have been made under the Labourers (Ireland) Act, 1884, sec. 1A, empowering the Sanitary Authorities to take the lands compulsorily for a term of ninety-nine years, instead of by absolute purchase.

TABLE II.—RETURN showing what is proposed to be done under new Improvement Schemes.

NOTE.—In cases where the particulars as to area of charge and the proposed tenure of the lands are not given, these matters have not yet been determined by the Sanitary Authorities.

UNIONS.	No. of Electoral Divisions.	No. of Cottages proposed to be Built.	Estimated Cost.	Area of Charge.	Taking of Land.	
					Whether by Agreement or Compulsorily.	Whether on Lease or by Absolute Purchase.
PROVINCE OF ULSTER.						
Co. ARMAGH.			£ s. d.			
Ballymena, . . .	8	34	3,450 0 0	—	—	—
Co. CAVAN.						
Balleborough, . .	9	37	3,700 0 0	Electoral Division.	—	—
Cavan, . . . . .	25	129	12,320 0 0		Do., . . . . .	Purchase.
Cootehill, . . . .	6	11	860 0 0		Do., . . . . .	Do.
Co. DONEGAL.						
Ballyshannon, . .	11	31	3,100 0 0	Do., . . . . .	—	—
Co. LONGFORD.						
Coleraine, . . . .	1	3	300 0 0	—	—	—
Magherafelt, . . .	1	12	1,200 0 0	Townlands in which Representatives reside.	—	—
Total, . . . . .	64	257	25,020 0 0			
PROVINCE OF MUNSTER.						
Co. CLARE.						
Ballyvaughan,* . .	—	—	—	—	—	—
Corrofin, . . . . .	8	18	2,028 0 0	Electoral Division, Dispensary District.	Compulsorily, Compulsorily, by agreement if practicable.	Lease. Do.
Ennis, . . . . .	19	150	9,148 0 0			
Ennistymon, . . .	29	104	10,400 0 0	Union at large, .	—	—
Killadysert, . . .	11	55 & 27 to be repaired	6,587 0 0	Electoral Division,	Compulsorily,	Purchase.
Kilrush, . . . . .	21	61	6,100 0 0	Do., . . . . .	Do., . . . . .	Lease.
Scariff, . . . . .	15	57	8,414 0 0	Do., . . . . .	Do., . . . . .	Lease and purchase.
Tulla, . . . . .	15	145	14,108 2 6	Do., . . . . .	Do., . . . . .	Purchase.
Co. CORK.						
Bandon, . . . . .	20	211	21,100 0 0	Union at large, .	Compulsorily,	Purchase.
Clonsilla, . . . . .	19	167	16,700 0 0	Do., . . . . .	Do., . . . . .	Do.
Cork, . . . . .	25	349	34,900 0 0	Do., . . . . .	Do., . . . . .	Lease.
Dunmanway, . . .	15	265	26,500 0 0	Do., . . . . .	Do., . . . . .	Purchase.
Ferryon, . . . . .	21	222	22,200 0 0	Do., . . . . .	Do., . . . . .	—
Kantark, . . . . .	38	247	24,700 0 0	Electoral Division,	Do., . . . . .	Purchase.
Kinsale, . . . . .	18	162	16,200 0 0	Do., . . . . .	—	Lease.
Macroom, . . . . .	24	229 & 2 houses to be purchased	23,100 0 0	Union at large, .	Compulsorily,	Purchase.
Co. DUBLIN.						
Mallow,† . . . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—
Midleton, . . . . .	19	308	30,800 0 0	Union at large, .	Compulsorily,	—
Millstreet, . . . .	11	132	13,200 0 0	Do., . . . . .	Do., . . . . .	Purchase.
Mitchelstown, . .	16	61	6,795 0 0	Electoral Division,	Do., . . . . .	Lease.
Skibbereen, . . . .	23	135	14,578 0 0	Union at large, .	Do., . . . . .	Purchase.
Youghal, . . . . .	14	346	34,625 0 0	Electoral Division,	—	Lease.
Co. KERRY.						
Kenmare, . . . . .	14	11	1,100 0 0	Electoral Division,	—	—
Listowel, . . . . .	37	170	17,000 0 0	Union at large, .	Compulsorily,	Purchase.
Trillick, . . . . .	35	232	23,200 0 0	Electoral Division,	—	—

\* Guardians propose to build three cottages for every 21,000 of the valuation of each Electoral Division, but the scheme has not yet been made.

† Schemes to be made, but particulars not yet definitely settled.

TABLE II.—RETURN showing what is proposed to be done under new Improvement Schemes—continued.

UNIONS.	No. of Electoral Divisions.	No. of Cottages proposed to be Built.	Estimated Cost.	Area of Charge.	Taking of Land.	
					Whether by Agreement or Compulsorily.	Whether on Lease or by Absolute Purchase.
PROVINCE OF MUNSTER—con.						
Co. LIMERICK.			£ s. d.			
Croom, . . . . .	28	128	12,800 0 0	Union at large,	Compulsorily,	Purchase.
Gils, . . . . .	13	100	10,000 0 0	Electoral Division,	Do.,	Do.
Kilmallock, . . . . .	25	487	84,870 0 0	Do.,	Do.,	Do.
Limerick, . . . . .	34	481	67,730 0 0	Do.,	Do.,	Do.
Newcastle, . . . . .	23	223	22,400 0 0	Do.,	Do.,	Do.
Rathkeale, . . . . .	16	124	12,400 0 0	Do.,	Do.,	Do.
Co. TIPPERARY.						
Berrisokane, . . . . .	9	54	5,400 0 0	Do.,	Do.,	Do.
Carrick-on-Suir, . . . . .	10	45	4,710 0 0	Do.,	Do.,	Do.
Cashel, . . . . .	9	53	4,750 0 0	Do.,	(If necessary) Compulsorily and by agreement.	(If feasible) Purchase.
Clogheen, . . . . .	14	123	12,000 0 0	Union at large,	—	—
Clonmel, . . . . .	11	46	5,600 0 0	Electoral Division,	—	Lease.
Nenagh, . . . . .	27	256	20,077 0 0	Do.,	Compulsorily,	—
Roosce,* . . . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—
Thurles, . . . . .	18	121	12,820 0 0	Electoral Division,	Compulsorily,	Purchase.
Tipperary,* . . . . .	—	—	—	—	—	—
Co. WATERFORD.						
Dungarvan, . . . . .	15	49 and 2 to be repaired.	7,000 0 0	Electoral Division,	—	—
Kilmacthomas, . . . . .	14	204	16,502 0 0	Union at large,	Compulsorily,	Lease.
Lisnore, . . . . .	11	167	17,595 0 0	Entire Union, except 1 Division.	Do.,	Do.
Waterford, . . . . .	19	58	5,800 0 0	Union at large,	Do.,	Do.
Total, . . . . .	743	6,598 and 31 to be repaired.	680,472 2 6			
PROVINCE OF LEINSTER.						
Co. CARLOW.						
Carlow, . . . . .	29	153 and 3 to be repaired.	15,288 7 6	Electoral Division,	Compulsorily.	Lease and purchase.
Co. DUBLIN.						
Balrothery, . . . . .	10	81	10,035 0 0	Do.,	Do.	Lease.
Dublin, North, . . . . .	2	30	3,872 0 0	Do.,	Not yet determined.	Purchase.
Dublin, South, . . . . .	3	32	4,269 12 0	Do.,	Compulsorily.	Purchase.
Co. KILDARE.						
Athy, . . . . .	29	220 and 3 to be repaired.	21,123 5 0	Dispensary District.	Do.	On Lease.
Nass, . . . . .	20	166	12,730 0 0	Do.,	Do.	Do.
Co. KILKENNY.						
Callan, . . . . .	16	83	8,300 0 0	Electoral Division,	Do.	Do.
Castlecumner, . . . . .	5	47	4,418 0 0	Do.,	Do.	Do.
Kilkenny, . . . . .	5	17	1,562 14 6	Do.,	Do.	Do.
Thomastown, . . . . .	16	51	3,317 0 0	Do.,	Do.	Do.
KING'S Co.						
Parsonstown, . . . . .	19	75	4,684 1 2	Do.,	Do.	Do.
Tullamore, . . . . .	37	221	19,915 0 0	Union at large,	Do.	Do.

\* Schemes to be made, but particulars not yet definitely settled.

TABLE II.—RETURN showing what is proposed to be done under new Improvement Schemes—continued.

UNIONS.	No. of Electoral Divisions.	No. of Cottages proposed to be Built.	Estimated Cost.	Area of Charge.	Taking of Land.	
					Whether by Agreement or Compulsorily.	Whether on Lease or by Absolute Purchase.
PROVINCE OF LEINSTER—con.			£ s. d.			
Co. LONGFORD.						
Ballymahon, . . .	14	113	11,300 0 0	—	—	On Lease.
Grassard, . . .	32	194	19,000 0 0	Union-at-large, .	Compulsorily.	Purchase.
Longford, . . .	10	61	8,232 0 0	Electoral division,	Do.	Do.
Co. LOUTH.						
Ardee, . . .	10	156 & 2 to be repaired	18,034 0 0	Do., .	Do.	Lease and purchase.
Drogheda, . . .	15	415 & 12 to be repaired	52,875 0 0	Dispensary District and Electoral Div.	Do.	On Lease.
Co. MEATH.						
Nella, . . .	18	159	15,320 0 0	Union-at-large, .	Do.	Lease.
Nasau, . . .	11	151	15,100 0 0	Do., .	Do.	Do.
Oldcastle, . . .	14	215	20,192 0 0	Do., .	Do.	Do.
Trim, . . .	9	32	2,092 0 0	Do., .	Do.	Do.
Trim, . . .	12	65	4,798 5 0	Do., .	Do.	Do.
QUEEN'S CO.						
Abbeyleix, . . .	18	151	15,100 0 0	Electoral Division,	Do.	On Lease.
Donanglans, . . .	14	78	7,516 5 0	Do., .	Do.	Do.
Mountrifick, . . .	16	95	7,125 0 0	Do., .	Do.	Purchase.
Co. WESTMEATH.						
Dalvin, . . .	37	103	11,260 0 0	Dispensary District and Electoral Division.	Do.	Do.
Hallinagar, . . .	24	50	4,720 0 0	Electoral Division,	Do.	Do.
Co. WEXFORD.						
Enniscorthy, . . .	2	21	2,160 0 0	Do., .	Do.	Do.
Gorey, . . .	21	95	9,560 0 0	Do., .	Do.	Lease.
New Ross, . . .	25	240	21,400 0 0	Do., .	Do.	Do.
Wexford, . . .	32	121	12,100 0 0	Union-at-large, .	Do.	Do.
Co. WICKLOW.						
Ballyglass, . . .	41	79	7,476 0 0	Electoral Division,	Do.	Do.
Rathdrum, . . .	15	64	4,460 0 0	Do., .	By agreement and compulsorily.	Lease and purchase.
Shillelagh, . . .	4	8	900 0 0	Do., .	Free and by agreement.	Lease.
Total, . . .	547	3,387 & 23 to be repaired	384,942 10 2			
PROVINCE OF CONNAUGHT.						
Co. GALWAY.						
Ballinasloe, . . .	6	10	1,297 0 0	Electoral Division,	Compulsorily.	—
Loughrea, . . .	5	19	1,890 19 2	Do.	Do.	Purchase.
Portlanna, . . .	7	16	2,025 0 0	Do.	—	—
Co. LEITRIM.						
Carrick-on-Shannon, . . .	13	47	3,700 0 0	Do.	Compulsorily.	Lease.
Monaghan, . . .	5	36	3,014 14 3	Do.	Do.	Do.
Mold, . . .	11	15	1,600 0 0	Do.	—	—
Co. MAYO.						
Chesmore, . . .	1	1	100 0 0	Electoral Division,	Compulsorily.	Lease.
Co. SLIGO.						
Dromore West, . . .	18	71	5,690 0 0	Do.	—	—
Total, . . .	64	217	19,297 13 0			
Total for all Ireland, . . .	1,418	10,480 & 54 to be repaired.	21,116,322 6 2			

## HOUSING OF THE WORKING CLASSES ACT, 1885.

16. On the 26th August, 1885, we forwarded to the several Sanitary Authorities and Town Commissioners a copy of the Act, which received the Royal assent on the 15th of August, for amending the law with reference to the provision of suitable dwellings for the working classes, at the same time pointing out in the circular, which will be found in the Appendix, the facilities afforded by the Act for carrying into effect previous legal provisions for the same purpose.

These provisions are being considered by various Sanitary Authorities, and we have received several communications preliminary to loans being obtained, through the Commissioners of Public Works, for the purposes of the Acts.

Applications for sanction to loans have already been received from the Corporations of Dublin, Cork, Limerick, and Sligo. The Corporation of Dublin propose to expend the sums of £20,000 and £9,000 respectively in erecting dwellings under the Labouring Classes Lodging Houses Act of 1866, as incorporated with the Housing of the Working Classes Act, 1885, the Corporation of Cork, £6,500, the Corporation of Limerick, £3,500, and the Corporation of Sligo, £3,500, and the necessary preliminary steps to obtaining the money and building the dwellings are being taken.

Applications for loans have also been received from the Urban Sanitary Authorities of Cashel, Kells, Trim, Dungarvan, and Drumecondra.

## ARTIZANS AND LABOURERS' DWELLINGS ACT, 1875.

In paragraph 32 of our last Report we continued the account of proceedings taken under the Artizans and Labourers' Dwellings Act, 1875, up to that time, and now furnish the following further information:—

## DUBLIN—PLUNKET-STREET AREA.

The negotiations with the Artizans Dwellings Company on the subject of the conditions to be embodied in the lease to be made to them by the Corporation of the space cleared having been completed, the company proceeded to erect cottages upon the area in accordance with the plans and particulars submitted and approved by the Corporation. The total of the loan sanctioned for this scheme, £27,000, has been advanced by the Commissioners of Public Works.

## PROCEEDINGS IN OTHER URBAN SANITARY DISTRICTS.

Nothing further has been done under this Act in Cork and Belfast, and no steps have yet been taken in other places where the Act is applicable.



## FINANCIAL STATISTICS OF YEAR ENDED 29TH SEPTEMBER, 1885.

17. We now proceed to the statistics arising out of the accounts of the unions for the year ended 29th September, 1885.

We deal in the first place with Poor Relief Expenditure.

Year ended 29th September.	Net Annual Value.	Poor Rate lodged.	Poor Relief Expenditure during the Year.						Numbers relieved.			
			In-Maintenance and Clothing.	Out-door Relief.	Cost of Relief in Workhouses and Asylums and Extern Hospitals.	Salaries and Rations of Officers.	All other Expenditure.	Total.	In Workhouses.	Out-door.	In Workhouses and Asylums.	Total.
1885.	12,878,208	1,105,802	406,888	182,286	13,660	126,875	147,162	867,991	320,860	120,319	800	442,289
1884.	12,835,141	1,169,416	442,751	182,210	12,671	128,825	148,165	842,993	331,968	116,223	793	449,283
Increase, Decrease.	53,067	-	-	-	989	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	-	63,614	35,863	-	-	1,950	21,970	58,024	31,892	4,716	4	25,207

From the above table it will be seen that there has been a decrease of £36,873 in "in-maintenance and clothing;" an increase of £2,088 in "out-door relief;" an increase of £989 in "cost of relief in asylums and extern hospitals;" and a decrease of £1,950 in "salaries and rations of officers."

## TREASURY SUBSIDIES.

18. The following is a statement of the Parliamentary Grant for Medical and Educational purposes, and for salaries under the "Public Health (Ireland) Act," for the year ended 25th March, 1885:—

	Amount allowed for the Year.		
	£	s.	d.
Medical purposes, . . . . .	75,553	15	7
Educational purposes, . . . . .	10,470	15	1
Total for Medical and Educational purposes, . . . . .	86,024	10	8
For Salaries under Public Health Act, . . . . .	14,829	8	6
Total. . . . .	100,853	19	2

The total amount allowed under the Parliamentary Grant for Medical and Educational purposes for the year ended 25th March, 1885, namely, £86,024 10s. 8d., is £280 13s. 0d. more than the amount for the previous year.

The amount of salaries under the Public Health (Ireland) Act, namely, £14,829 8s. 6d., is £380 8s. 4d. more than for the previous year.



Hence it will be seen that while the total expenditure of Poor Rates, for poor relief, medical relief, burial-grounds, sanitary measures, superannuation, payments under the Contagious Diseases (Animals) Act, payments under the National School Teachers Act, and all other purposes, was, in 1884, £1,286,735; the expenditure in 1885 was £1,258,465.

#### MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT, AND VACCINATION ACTS.

20. We next submit to your Excellency the report of our proceedings under these Acts for the year ended 30th September, 1885.

The annexed table exhibits, in the usual form, the fluctuations in the number of cases in which medical relief was afforded under the Medical Charities Act, during each of the twelve years ended 30th September, 1885, in each province, and for the whole of Ireland.

The cases are distinguished, as usual, into those prescribed for at the dispensaries, and those attended at the patients' houses, each class of cases occupying a separate column.

In Ulster there has been a decrease of 313 in the number of cases prescribed for at the dispensaries, and an increase of 2,806 in the number of those attended at their own houses.

In Munster there has been a decrease of 2,768 in the number of cases prescribed for at the dispensaries, and an increase of 3,942 in the number of those attended at their own houses.

In Leinster there has been a decrease of 342 in the number of cases prescribed for at the dispensaries, and an increase of 3,281 in the number of those attended at their own houses.

In Connaught there has been an increase of 761 in the number of cases prescribed for at the dispensaries, and a decrease of 434 in the number of those attended at their own houses.

The last three columns in the table show an increase of 6,933 cases for all Ireland, including both classes, as compared with the previous year.

[TABLE.

SUMMARY OF THE NUMBER OF CASES OF MEDICAL RELIEF AFFORDED UNDER THE MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT.

Period.	Province of Ulster.			Province of Munster.			Province of Leinster.			Province of Connaught.			Total for Ireland.		
	Dispensary Tickets.	Visiting Tickets.	Total.	Dispensary Tickets.	Visiting Tickets.	Total.	Dispensary Tickets.	Visiting Tickets.	Total.	Dispensary Tickets.	Visiting Tickets.	Total.	Dispensary Tickets.	Visiting Tickets.	Total.
Year ended 30th Sept., 1874.	115,037	55,757	170,814	153,074	51,829	204,908	169,570	69,077	238,647	63,325	17,673	81,001	50,027	186,130	607,165
" " 1875.	116,336	63,436	179,992	150,509	54,764	205,213	168,164	61,044	229,008	60,821	18,637	79,457	495,559	183,692	694,192
" " 1876.	110,303	56,359	166,854	145,549	54,477	199,856	166,336	61,076	227,412	59,031	17,507	76,538	491,831	189,419	670,760
" " 1877.	110,552	55,997	166,559	139,711	59,239	191,501	158,194	59,415	217,599	57,100	16,543	73,649	465,573	184,475	650,048
" " 1878.	116,643	55,967	172,010	144,908	57,602	202,570	166,295	62,579	228,815	55,659	17,469	73,119	433,446	192,068	625,514
" " 1879.	110,666	59,538	170,239	137,041	56,844	193,885	158,971	66,243	225,214	56,559	16,359	72,918	471,277	200,979	672,256
" " 1880.	126,238	61,446	189,679	145,880	62,580	208,460	161,312	63,870	225,082	63,857	22,835	86,692	499,150	210,281	709,411
" " 1881.	116,146	55,059	174,255	125,549	54,708	183,439	140,913	56,974	197,887	57,223	18,716	75,939	414,931	187,562	602,493
" " 1882.	115,920	54,535	169,115	121,73	51,776	173,511	139,776	60,402	200,232	55,263	18,010	73,270	439,398	184,843	624,241
" " 1883.	111,142	50,421	161,508	112,814	50,166	162,950	143,015	60,064	203,129	51,855	18,327	70,182	418,927	186,558	605,485
" " 1884.	164,575	81,815	246,390	114,613	47,939	162,552	146,798	55,813	201,811	50,945	16,754	67,695	417,332	171,221	588,553
" " 1885.	164,693	54,331	219,024	111,615	51,891	163,726	146,456	58,294	204,750	51,706	16,290	67,996	414,670	189,316	604,006

## VACCINATION.

21. In the following table is shown the number of cases of vaccination in each year from 1855 to 1885; the Compulsory Vaccination Act having been passed in 1863:—

TABLE.

Number of Cases of Vaccination.		Number of Cases of Vaccination.	
Year ended Sept. 30th, 1855, .	45,711	Year ended Sept. 30th, 1871, .	179,889
" " " 1856, .	84,131	" " " 1872, .	282,484
" " " 1857, .	47,855	" " " 1873, .	138,873
" " " 1858, .	54,984	" " " 1874, .	139,567
" " " 1859, .	140,411	" " " 1875, .	137,340
" " " 1860, .	107,505	" " " 1876, .	114,487
" " " 1861, .	90,225	" " " 1877, .	117,679
" " " 1862, .	89,803	" " " 1878, .	133,045
" " " 1863, .	106,510	" " " 1879, .	126,911
" " " 1864, .	191,810	" " " 1880, .	147,828
" " " 1865, .	169,142	" " " 1881, .	113,557
" " " 1866, .	137,124	" " " 1882, .	132,825
" " " 1867, .	125,741	" " " 1883, .	106,071
" " " 1868, .	131,436	" " " 1884, .	102,548
" " " 1869, .	125,672	" " " 1885, .	102,512
" " " 1870, .	140,320		

The following table contains a summary of the total number of cases of vaccination during the year ended 30th September, 1885, the cases being classified under the headings, "under one year old when vaccinated," "above one year old when vaccinated," and "other persons."

	Children Born since 1st January, 1864.		Other Persons.	Total.
	Under one year old when Vaccinated.	Above one year old when Vaccinated.		
Total of Ireland, .	87,771	11,432	3,109	102,312

## VACCINE DEPARTMENT.

22. During the year ended 31st of March, 1886, 3,397 applications were received from Medical Officers of workhouses and dispensaries, and other public institutions, from Military Medical Officers stationed in Ireland, and from private practitioners, for lymph; and 17,244 points, and 2,532 tubes charged with lymph were distributed. During the same period 1,822 vaccinations were performed at the stations in Sackville-street, and York-street, Dublin.

## SMALL-POX.

23. The number of deaths in workhouses from small-pox, and the number of cases of the disease treated by Dispensary Medical Officers for each of the last twenty-two years are given in the following table:—

DEATHS IN WORKHOUSES FROM SMALL-POX, AND NUMBER OF CASES OF SMALL-POX TREATED BY DISPENSARY MEDICAL OFFICERS.

Deaths in Workhouses from Small-pox.		Number of Cases of Small-pox treated by Medical Officers of Dispensary Districts.	
PERIOD. 52 Weeks ended	Number of Deaths.	PERIOD. Year ended	Number of Cases.
11th February, 1865, . .	145	30th September, 1864, . .	1,365
40th February, 1866, . .	50	30th September, 1865, . .	2,060
9th February, 1867, . .	9	30th September 1866, . .	579
8th February, 1868, . .	5	30th September, 1867, . .	105
6th February, 1869, . .	3	30th September, 1868, . .	135
5th February, 1870, . .	1	30th September, 1869, . .	27
4th February, 1871, . .	13	30th September, 1870, . .	51
3rd February, 1872, . .	462	30th September, 1871, . .	773
1st February, 1873, . .	677	30th September 1872, . .	10,317
31st January, 1874, . .	110	30th September, 1873, . .	306
30th January, 1875, . .	143	30th September, 1874, . .	961
30th January, 1876, . .	41	30th September, 1875, . .	331
27th January, 1877, . .	2	30th September 1876, . .	29
26th January, 1878, . .	12	30th September, 1877, . .	147
25th January, 1879, . .	254	30th September, 1878, . .	1,239
24th January, 1880, . .	113	30th Septem 1879, . .	1,344
22nd January, 1881, . .	97	30th September, 1880, . .	363
21st January, 1882, . .	64	30th September, 1881, . .	114
20th January, 1883, . .	76	30th September, 1882, . .	479
19th January, 1884, . .	11	30th September, 1883, . .	81
17th January, 1885, . .	1	30th September, 1884, . .	18
16th January, 1886, . .	2	30th September, 1885, . .	17

The following table shows in each province the quarters of the year when the disease most prevailed:—

SUMMARY of SMALL-POX cases attended by Dispensary Medical Officers during the year ended 30th September, 1885,—taken from their quarterly Returns.

PROVINCES.	Quarter, 21st Dec. 1884.	Quarter, 21st Mar. 1885.	Quarter, 30th June. 1885.	Quarter 30th Sept. 1885.	Total.
Ulster, . . .	1	3	2	—	6
Munster, . . .	—	—	4	2	6
Leinster, . . .	—	—	—	5	5
Connacht, . . .	—	—	—	—	—
Total Ireland, .	1	3	6	7	17

## FEVER IN DISPENSARY DISTRICTS.

24. The following is a return of the number of cases of fever reported as attended by the Medical Officers of Dispensary Districts during each of the twenty-one years ended 30th September, 1885, beginning with 26,566 cases of attack in 1865, and ending with 5,780 in 1885:—

Year ended 30th September.	Number of Cases.	Decrease per Year.	Increase.
1865,	26,566	-	-
1866,	22,267	4,299	-
1867,	18,975	3,292	-
1868,	17,400	1,575	-
1869,	16,882	518	-
1870,	15,744	1,138	-
1871,	15,574	170	-
1872,	15,894	-	320
1873,	14,454	1,150	-
1874,	14,424	30	-
1875,	13,280	1,144	-
1876,	11,646	1,634	-
1877,	11,206	250	-
1878,	10,945	261	-
1879,	10,509	-	54
1880,	11,211	-	212
1881,	9,718	1,493	-
1882,	8,369	1,349	-
1883,	8,081	288	-
1884,	6,480	1,601	-
1885,	5,780	690	-

There were 3,526 cases of scarlatina treated by Medical Officers of Dispensary Districts in 1885, as compared with 3,198 cases in 1884, being an increase of 328.

25. The next table gives the expenditure under the Medical Charities and Vaccination Acts for the last twelve years, ended 29th September, 1885.

## MEDICAL CHARITIES EXPENDITURE, Years ended 29th September.

Year.	Ulster. £	Munster. £	Leinster. £	Connaught. £	Total. £
1874, .	40,334	39,622	41,953	19,013	140,922
1875, .	39,832	40,029	41,743	19,848	141,452
1876, .	40,042	39,504	42,828	19,099	141,463
1877, .	39,368	39,663	43,342	18,703	141,076
1878, .	39,094	42,274	44,030	19,024	144,412
1879, .	40,283	40,637	44,860	20,330	146,030
1880, .	43,288	43,168	46,805	21,114	153,375
1881, .	43,640	44,065	47,429	22,110	157,244
1882, .	44,839	44,683	47,569	21,957	159,038
1883, .	43,514	45,093	48,628	22,170	159,405
1884, .	43,373	44,768	48,865	22,397	159,363
1885, .	41,776	46,321	48,136	24,434	160,667

And the following shows in more detail, and under the usual heads a comparative statement of the expenditure for the two years ended September 29th, 1884 and 1885, respectively:—

## MEDICAL CHARITIES EXPENDITURE.

	1884. £	1885. £
1. Medicines and medical appliances, . . . . .	39,565	37,653
2. Rent of Dispensary buildings, . . . . .	8,508	8,404
3. Books, forms, stationery, printing, and advertising, . . . . .	1,049	1,161
4. Salaries of { Medical Officers, . . . . .	89,549	89,354
{ Apothecaries, . . . . .	2,872	2,836
5. Fuel, porters, and incidental expenses, . . . . .	15,479	19,668

## EXPENSES UNDER VACCINATION ACTS:

6. Vaccination fees and other expenses:—		
Fees to Medical Officers, . . . . .	10,093	10,433
Other expenses, . . . . .	1,248	1,169
Total, . . . . .	£158,363	160,667

## DISPENSARY HOUSES AND DWELLING-HOUSES FOR MEDICAL OFFICERS.

26. In paragraph 24 of our last Report we referred to the proceedings under the "Act to give facilities for providing Dispensary houses and Dwelling-houses for Medical Officers of Dispensary Districts in certain parts of Ireland."

Advantage still continues steadily to be taken of the provisions of the Act, and certificates have been issued under the Act since our last Report in the following cases:—

	Dispensary District	Union.
Dispensary and Dispensary Residence, . . . . .	Graiguen, . . . . .	Thomastown
Dispensary Residence, . . . . .	Carney, No. 1, . . . . .	Sligo
Do., . . . . .	Millstreet, . . . . .	Millstreet
Dispensary and Dispensary Residence, . . . . .	Kiltormer, . . . . .	Ballinasloe
Dispensary, . . . . .	Bray, . . . . .	Rathdown
Dispensary and Dispensary Residence, . . . . .	Ballindine, . . . . .	Clonsilla
Do., do., . . . . .	Boherboy, . . . . .	Kanturk
Dispensary, . . . . .	Dungannon, . . . . .	Dungannon



## LOCAL GOVERNMENT ACTS.

*Provisional Orders, &c.*

27. Since the date of our last Report we have issued the following Provisional Orders:—

Date.	Place.	Purpose.
11th April, '85.	Cavan Union.	Empowering the Board of Guardians of Cavan Union, the Rural Sanitary Authority, to put in force the provisions of the Land Clauses Acts respecting the purchase and taking of lands, otherwise than by agreement, with reference to certain lands and premises required for the purpose of constructing Waterworks for the town of Cavan.
22nd April, '85.	Dramcondra Township.	Amending "The Dramcondra, Glenliffa, and Glasnevin Township Act, 1878," with respect to (1) the partial exemption of Dwelling-houses valued at or under £12 from Township Rates; (2) the exemption of unoccupied premises from Rates; (3) the exemption of certain institutions from Water Rate; and (4) the regulation of width of streets and height of buildings.
4th May, '85.	Middleton Union.	Empowering the Board of Guardians of Middleton Union, the Rural Sanitary Authority, to put in force the provisions of the Land Clauses Acts respecting the purchase and taking of lands otherwise than by agreement with reference to certain lands and premises required for the purpose of supplying the town and suburbs of Middleton with water.
5th May, '85.	City of Dublin.	Amending the Dublin Corporation Waterworks and Fire Brigade Provisional Order, 1874, confirmed by the Local Government Board (Ireland) Provisional Order (Dublin) Confirmation Act, 1874, by making provision for ascertaining the population of the Pembroke, Blackrock, Bray, Dalkey, New Kilmslip, and Clontarf townships.
14th May, '85.	City of Dublin.	Applying the foregoing Provisional Order to the township of Kingstown.
14th May, '85.	Mallow Union.	Empowering the Board of Guardians of Mallow Union, the Rural Sanitary Authority, to put in force the provisions of the Land Clauses Acts respecting the purchase and taking of lands, otherwise than by agreement, with reference to certain lands required for the purpose of providing a new Cemetery for the town and parish of Mallow.
14th Jan., '86.	Town of Fermoy.	Transferring to the Fermoy Urban Sanitary Authority certain powers with respect to roads, bridges, footpaths, &c., within their district, hitherto vested in the Grand Jury of the county of Cork.
9th March, '86.	Town of Killybeg.	Constituting the town of Killybeg an Urban Sanitary District.
23rd March, '86.	Town of Galway.	Amending the Acts 16 & 17 Vic., cap. 63, and 36 Vic., cap. 11, by empowering the Galway Town Improvement Commissioners to remove the existing wooden bridge across the River Corrib, between the Galway Fish Market and the Gladdagh, to construct instead and maintain a bridge of iron or stone, or of stone and iron, and to borrow money for the purpose.

We have received petitions for provisional orders under the Public Health Act, 1878, in the following cases, and the petitions are under consideration:—

*Dromore West Union.*—To put in force the provisions of the Lands Clauses Acts with reference to the purchase and taking of lands otherwise than by agreement, in regard to certain land required for the purpose of providing a burial-ground at Easkey.

*Listowel Union.*—To put in force the provisions of the Lands Clauses Acts with reference to the purchase and taking of lands otherwise than by agreement, in regard to certain land required for the purpose of providing a water supply for the town of Ballybunion.

*Londonderry City.*—To put in force the provisions of the Lands Clauses Acts with reference to the purchase and taking of lands otherwise than by agreement, in regard to certain land required for the purpose of extending the Waterside Waterworks.

*Wexford Borough.*—To adjust certain matters of charge and account between the Urban Sanitary Authority of Wexford and the Grand Jury of the County of Wexford, arising out of the transfer of the powers of the Grand Jury in relation to roads, bridges, footpaths, and public works within the Borough of Wexford from the Grand Jury to the Urban Sanitary Authority.

#### TOWNS IMPROVEMENT (IRELAND) ACT, 1854.

28. We have approved the adoption of the provisions of the Towns Improvement (Ireland) Act, 1854, in the towns of Kilrush and Granard, and fixed the number of Commissioners to be elected for these towns at twelve and nine respectively.

29. The following is a list of By-laws submitted to and confirmed by us during the year 1885-6:—

Carrickfergus Town, . . .	I. Erection or construction of buildings.
	II. Laying out or construction of new streets, new houses, &c.
	III. Closing of buildings unfit for human habitation.
	IV. Regulation of common lodging-houses.
Cork City, . . . . .	Houses let in lodgings other than common lodging-houses.
Dalkey Township, . . .	Regulation of the water supply to the Township.
Kilmainham Township, .	Houses let in lodgings other than common lodging-houses.
Lisburn Town, . . . .	Regulation of public park.

Pembroke Township, .	Houses let in lodgings other than common lodging-houses.
Thomastown Union, .	Regulation of common lodging-houses.
Thurles Town, . . .	I. Cleansing of footways.
	II. Nuisances, and keeping of animals.
	III. Common lodging-houses.
	IV. New streets and buildings.
	V. Houses let in lodgings other than common lodging-houses.
Waterford City, . .	Houses let in lodgings other than common lodging-houses.
<i>Tolls.</i>	
Banbridge Town, . .	Toll for the weighing and portenage of grain.

## BURIAL GROUNDS.

30. Orders have been made and gazetted prohibiting further interments in the burial grounds named hereunder:—

1. The burial ground attached to the Church of St. Thomas, in the parish of St. Thomas, in the city of Dublin.
2. The burial ground attached to the Protestant Church of All Saints, in the town of Mullingar.
3. The two burial grounds situate in the village of Owing, in Carrick-on-Suir Union.

Of these orders, two were made subject to certain exceptions mentioned therein, and we retain power to grant licences for burial in certain cases, from time to time, if it should appear to us expedient to do so.

## PUBLIC HEALTH.

31. Our report upon Public Health is continued from the last Annual Report. Details were given therein of the operations in regard to sewerage and water-supply under the provisions of the Public Health Act, 1878, in continuation of the detail of proceedings under the Act of 1874; the extent of those operations is still in some degree measured in Rural Districts by the number of the orders under seal, fixing the area of charge for each such operation, together with the loans borrowed for these purposes through the Public Works Commissioners.

In the year 1875-76 the number of such orders was 79; in 1876-77 it was 89; in 1877-78 it was 122; in 1878-79 it was 117; in 1879-80 it was 126; in 1880-81 it was 103; in 1881-82

it was 79; in 1882-83 it was 83, in 1883-84 it was 79, and in 1884-85 it was 102. From 25th March, 1885, to the 25th March, 1886, the number of additional Orders has been 87, issued to 56 different unions.

On the whole, therefore, 1,066 orders, fixing areas of charge for sewerage or water-supply, or both, have been issued during the last eleven years.

These orders have been applied for by 161 different Boards of Guardians out of 163 acting for Rural Sanitary Districts.

The preceding statements relate to Rural Sanitary Districts. In Urban Districts all sanitary expenses are chargeable upon funds levied from the whole district.

### LOANS

32. In both Urban and Rural Sanitary Districts a considerable part of the expenditure on sewerage, water-supply, and other local improvements is carried out by means of loans which, on the recommendation of the Local Government Board, are issued to the Sanitary Authority in each case by the Public Works Commissioners for Ireland.

In the ten years ended 31st March, 1885, loans were recommended as follows:—

Year ended	Amount.
	£
31st March, 1876, .	37,584
" 1877, .	41,085
" 1878, .	62,056
" 1879, .	124,454
" 1880, .	292,824
" 1881, .	199,252
" 1882, .	202,374
" 1883, .	66,954
" 1884, .	179,836
" 1885, .	161,599
Total, .	£1,368,018

The following is a list of loans sanctioned by the Local Government Board, Ireland, to the 31st March, 1886, in continuation of a similar list in our last Report.

[TABLE

LIST of LOANS sanctioned by the LOCAL GOVERNMENT BOARD, IRELAND, to the 31st March, 1886, in continuation of a similar list in last Report.

Name of Sanitary District.		Amount of Loan.	Purpose for which obtained.	Date of Sanction.
		£ s. d.		
Bangor,	Urban,	885 0 0	Water and Gas Works.	23rd March, 1885.
Bantry,	Rural,	200 0 0	Extension of Waterworks, Bantry Town.	26th February, 1886.
Boyle,	do.,	300 0 0	Sinking Wells and erecting Pumps in Boyle.	18th April, 1885.
Do.,	do.,	100 0 0	Water Supply, Easton-lane, Boyle.	22nd January, 1886.
Castleroa,	do.,	2,988 8 6	Waterworks in Castleroa.	7th August, 1885.
Clonsilla,	do.,	350 0 0	Timoleague Water Supply.	11th May, 1885.
Do.,	Urban,	600 0 0	Additional Water Supply.	5th January, 1886.
Clounell,	do.,	155 0 0	Cost of Provisional Orders, 1873 and 1882.	15th April, 1885.
Do.,	do.,	800 0 0	Completion of Cemetery.	6th May, 1885.
Coleraine,	Rural,	2,500 0 0	Post-rush Sewerage.	7th January, 1886.
Cork,	Urban,	6,500 0 0	Erection of Labourers' Dwellings under provisions of Acts 48 & 49 Vic., c. 72, and 29 & 30 Vic., c. 44.	29th March, 1886.
Dalkey,	do.,	200 0 0	Sewers — Harbour-road and Ardsavin-road.	14th September, 1885.
Do.,	do.,	1,300 0 0	High Level Water Supply.	11th November, 1885.
Drumcadda,	do.,	3,806 0 0	Concreting Footpaths.	3rd August, 1885.
Do.,	do.,	341 0 0	Subsidiary Sewers.	23rd October, 1885.
Dublin,	do.,	2,000 0 0	Tarn-street, Swimming Baths.	28th April, 1885.
Do.,	do.,	20,000 0 0	Artizans and Labourers' Dwellings, Oxmantown Estate.	17th August, 1885.
Do.,	do.,	100,000 0 0	Paving.	3rd September, 1885.
Dublin, North,	Rural,	600 0 0	Sewerage — Blackhorse-lane (reduced to £450 on 7th December, 1885).	11th July, 1885.
Ennis,	do.,	127 0 0	Charcoal-street Sewerage.	15th March, 1886.
Fernoy,	do.,	120 0 0	Pump at Ballyvaughan.	5th May, 1885.
Do.,	do.,	520 0 0	Castletyons Water Supply.	15th October, 1885.
Gorey,	do.,	100 0 0	Well and Pump at Ballynacree.	22nd January, 1886.
Killarney,	do.,	3,300 0 0	Killorglin Water Supply.	6th May, 1885.
Kilmainham,	Urban,	2,080 0 0	Concreting Footpaths, &c.	8th September, 1885.
Kingsdown,	do.,	250 0 0	Sewer in Crosthwaite Park, East, & Mathew-terrace.	7th January, 1886.
Do.,	do.,	2,000 0 0	Asphalting and Concreting Footpaths.	23rd March, 1886.

LIST of LOANS sanctioned by the LOCAL GOVERNMENT BOARD, IRELAND, to the 31st March, 1886, in continuation of a similar list in last Report—*continued.*

Name of Sanitary District.		Amount of Loan.	Purpose for which obtained.	Date of Sanction.
		£ s. d.		
Lisburn,	Urban,	500 0 0	Sewerage and Flagging.	18th October, 1885.
Loughrea,	Rural,	50 0 0	Deepening well and erecting pump at Craughwell.	14th August, 1885.
Do.,	do.,	100 0 0	Ballywinna Water Supply.	17th August, 1885.
Do.,	do.,	30 0 0	Kilreckle Water Supply.	18th November, 1885.
Do.,	do.,	400 0 0	Athensy Sewerage.	20th November, 1885.
Macroom,	do.,	150 0 0	Coachford Waterworks.	18th November, 1885.
Midleton,	do.,	4,500 0 0	Midleton Waterworks.	15th September, 1885.
Monimelick,	do.,	400 0 0	Great Heath Drainage.	7th April, 1885.
Do.,	do.,	127 6 3	Well and Pump at Ballycarroll.	24th August, 1885.
Do.,	do.,	170 0 0	Well and Pump at Kilminchy.	" "
Mullingar,	do.,	10,000 0 0	Water Supply to Town of Mullingar.	11th February, 1886.
Nass Town Commissioners.		750 0 0	Improvement of Town Hall, Nass.	6th May, 1885.
Queenstown,	Urban,	2,150 0 0	Water Supply.	2nd February, 1886.
Rathkeale,	Rural,	175 0 0	Pallaskerry Waterworks.	7th September, 1885.
Skibbereen,	do.,	280 0 0	Uafon Hall Water Supply.	3rd July, 1885.
Do.,	do.,	250 0 0	Baltimore Water Supply.	5th March, 1886.
Sligo,	do.,	32 0 0	Completion of Carrowbuzane Pump.	19th February, 1886.
Do.,	Urban,	5,000 0 0	Completion of Sligo Waterworks.	4th September, 1885.
Swinsford,	Rural,	250 0 0	Improvement of Burial Grounds of Kilbough and Ullann.	14th January, 1886.
Templemore,	Urban,	150 0 0	Additional Water Supply.	8th August, 1885.
Thurles,	do.,	1,600 0 0	Flagging.	2nd December, 1885.
Tobereury,	Rural,	125 0 0	Sewer in Tobereury.	8th January, 1886.
Trillick,	do.,	75 0 0	Pump in Village of Brooma.	16th May, 1885.
Do.,	do.,	40 0 0	Pump in the Village of Knocknagabel.	12th February, 1886.
Westport,	do.,	250 0 0	Sewerage Works at Westport Quay.	15th September, 1885.
Youghal,	do.,	205 0 0	Ballymacoda Water Supply.	20th November, 1885.

The total amount of the loans included in the above list, is £179,151 9s. 9d., which, added to the previous sums, constitutes a total of £1,547,169 9s. 9d. for the eleven years in question.

This expenditure, which is independent of disbursements from the current rates for the same purposes, relates mainly to the cost of structural works for water-supply and sewerage.

#### DEPARTMENTAL ARRANGEMENTS.

33. Since our last Report we have lost by death the services of Mr. J. Brennan, Assistant Secretary, and the vacancy thus caused has been filled by the promotion of Dr. Mooney, one of our first class clerks, to the position.

One of our Inspectors, Mr. W. J. Hamilton, has recently retired, and has been succeeded by Mr. Arthur Bourke.

An increase in the strength of our Engineering Inspection Staff having become necessary, we applied for and received authority for the employment of a second Assistant Engineering Inspector, and Mr. Louis E. H. Deane, who had been employed under the Commissioners of Public Works, was appointed to the office.

We have the honour to be,

Your Excellency's obedient Servants,

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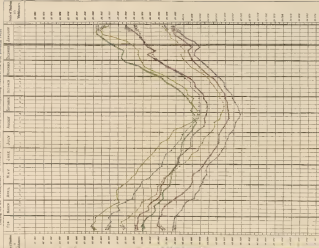
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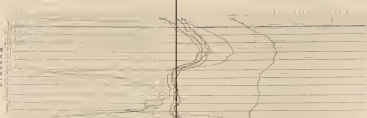
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TO THE

## FOURTEENTH ANNUAL REPORT

OF

THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT BOARD FOR IRELAND.

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### APPENDIX A.

#### ORDERS.

I.—ORDERS ISSUED UNDER THE POOR LAW ACTS, THE LABOURERS  
(IRELAND) ACTS, &c.

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No. 1.—GENERAL ORDER assessing the amount payable by each  
UNION under the CONTAGIOUS DISEASES (ANIMALS) ACT.

To the GUARDIANS of the Poor of the several Unions named in the  
Schedule hereunto annexed ; to the TREASURER of each of such  
Unions, and to all persons whom it may concern :

WHEREAS, by an Act passed in the Forty-second year of the Reign  
of Her present Majesty, Queen Victoria, entitled "An Act for making  
better provision respecting Contagious and Infectious Diseases of  
Cattle and other Animals, and for other purposes," it is among other  
things enacted that on receipt of the Certificate of the Chief Secretary  
or Under Secretary to the Lord Lieutenant of Ireland to the effect  
that a sum equivalent to a certain Poundage, to be specified in such  
Certificate, on the net annual value of the property in all the Unions  
in Ireland, is required for the purposes of the Act, the Local Govern-  
ment Board shall, by Order under their Seal, assess that sum on the  
several Unions, in proportion to the net annual value of the property  
therein, and the said Board shall transmit copies of the Order to the  
Guardians and to the Treasurer of each Union :

AND WHEREAS by the said Act it is further enacted that on receipt  
of such Order, the Treasurer of each Union shall out of the Union  
funds, pay over the amount assessed on the Union to the Bank of  
Ireland, to be placed to the General Cattle Diseases Fund, and the  
Guardians of each Union shall debit the several Electoral Divisions  
with proportions of that sum, according to the net annual value of the  
property therein :

AND WHEREAS it is provided by the said Act that no larger sum  
shall be levied under the said Act at any one time than shall be equiva-

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lent to a poundage of One Halfpenny in the Pound on the net annual value of the property in all the Unions; nor shall any larger sum be levied under the said Act in the whole than shall be equivalent, taken with any money before the commencement of the said Act carried to the Cattle Plague Account, to a poundage of Fourpence in the Pound on the net annual value of the property in all the Unions:

AND WHEREAS a Certificate under the hand of the Chief Secretary to the Lord Lieutenant, bearing date the Thirtieth day of June, One Thousand Eight Hundred and Eighty-five, has been received by Us, the Local Government Board for Ireland, in which it is certified that a sum of Fourteen Thousand Four Hundred and Thirty-six Pounds Twelve Shillings One Penny and One Farthing sterling, being equivalent to a rating of One Farthing in the Pound on the net annual value of the property in all the Unions in Ireland, is required for the purpose of the said Act:

NOW THEREFORE, in pursuance of the provisions of the said Act, We, the Local Government Board for Ireland, do hereby assess the said sum of Fourteen Thousand Four Hundred and Thirty-six Pounds Twelve Shillings One Penny and One Farthing, upon the several Unions in Ireland, in proportion to the net annual value of the property in each Union according to the Valuation thereof now in force as follows; that is to say, we assess upon each Union the amount set opposite to its name in the Schedule hereunto annexed.

## SCHEDULE.

Unions.	Amount Assessed.			Unions.	Amount Assessed.		
	£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.
Abbeyleix, . . . . .	70	6	0½	Castlemoser, . . . . .	38	14	11½
Antrim, . . . . .	130	17	4½	Castlederg, . . . . .	27	7	10½
Ardee, . . . . .	98	7	7½	Castlereagh, . . . . .	76	0	6½
Armagh, . . . . .	214	12	4½	Castletown, . . . . .	12	11	5½
Atkesh, . . . . .	92	3	7	Cavan, . . . . .	118	14	5½
Athy, . . . . .	115	13	11½	Coleraine, . . . . .	119	17	1½
Ballybrough, . . . . .	42	0	5½	Claremorris, . . . . .	44	4	10
Ballina, . . . . .	51	12	1	Clifden, . . . . .	18	13	4½
Ballynaboe, . . . . .	81	9	2½	Clogheen, . . . . .	65	17	7½
Ballinrobe, . . . . .	62	16	8½	Clogher, . . . . .	58	14	9½
Ballycastle, . . . . .	46	5	2½	Clocakilly, . . . . .	52	19	1½
Ballymahon, . . . . .	64	11	8	Clones, . . . . .	59	19	11½
Ballymena, . . . . .	136	9	4½	Cloam, . . . . .	75	0	5½
Ballymoney, . . . . .	86	15	8	Coleraine, . . . . .	107	12	0
Ballyshannon, . . . . .	53	1	2	Cookstown, . . . . .	68	4	6½
Ballyvaghan, . . . . .	20	13	5½	Cootehill, . . . . .	76	3	10½
Beltrothery, . . . . .	99	14	5½	Cork, . . . . .	368	2	5½
Bellinglass, . . . . .	76	17	3½	Corrofin, . . . . .	21	3	10½
Bunbridge, . . . . .	167	0	11½	Croom, . . . . .	66	4	2
Bandon, . . . . .	76	16	4½	Dalvin, . . . . .	55	1	3½
Bantry, . . . . .	22	16	8½	Dingle, . . . . .	23	16	9½
Bawnboy, . . . . .	41	11	11½	Donaghmore, . . . . .	42	18	0½
Belfast, . . . . .	756	11	6½	Donagall, . . . . .	35	18	0½
Belmullet, . . . . .	11	5	4½	Downpatrick, . . . . .	185	7	0½
Borrisokane, . . . . .	43	11	5½	Drughda, . . . . .	120	8	3
Boyle, . . . . .	77	3	0½	Dromore West, . . . . .	38	8	7½
Caherdreen, . . . . .	23	17	0½	Dublin, North, . . . . .	411	11	2½
Callan, . . . . .	75	9	5½	Dublin, South, . . . . .	709	13	7
Carlow, . . . . .	156	7	11½	Deadalk, . . . . .	112	12	9½
Carrickmacross, . . . . .	52	12	0½	Dunamaghy, . . . . .	11	19	7½
Carrick-on-Shannon, . . . . .	50	6	3½	Dungannon, . . . . .	99	4	8½
Carrick-on-Suir, . . . . .	82	15	0½	Dungarvan, . . . . .	55	17	3½
Cashel, . . . . .	112	0	7½	Dunmanway, . . . . .	34	14	3½
Castlebar, . . . . .	48	10	11½	Dunshaughlin, . . . . .	110	3	1½
Castleblayney, . . . . .	79	1	5½	Edenderry, . . . . .	99	13	9½

## SCHEDULE—continued.

Union.	Amount Assessed.			Union.	Amount Assessed.		
	£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.
Ennis,	77	8	9½	Monaghan,	96	17	1
Enniscorthy,	115	10	10½	Mount Bellow,	42	2	6
Enniskillen,	111	8	11	Mountmellick,	107	3	0½
Ennistymon,	38	9	6½	Mullingar,	164	19	2½
Fernoy,	108	2	9½	Nass,	160	0	11
Galway,	48	14	0	Navan,	102	16	10
Gleamaddy,	33	1	10½	Nenagh,	98	6	1
Glenies,	21	6	1	Newcastle,	63	12	½
Glin,	29	13	6½	Newport,	13	14	10½
Gorey,	83	15	8½	New Ross,	108	14	6½
Gort,	44	17	4½	Nenagh,	177	4	10½
Gortin,	20	8	2½	Newtownards,	147	17	1½
Gracard,	89	6	5½	Oldcastle,	65	8	1
Inishowen,	40	14	5½	Omagh,	98	18	6½
Inverness,	51	3	3½	Oughterard,	15	12	8½
Kantark,	80	10	4	Parsonstown,	107	4	10½
Kells,	100	5	5	Pertmann,	26	18	7
Kenmare,	20	7	1½	Rathdown,	279	15	1½
Kilkeel,	45	14	9½	Rathfrum,	133	14	2½
Kilkenny,	104	5	0½	Rathkeale,	58	7	10½
Killybegs,	26	9	5½	Roscommon,	67	1	6½
Killmah,	21	7	0	Roscrea,	74	9	3½
Killmeyer,	79	12	7½	Scariff,	26	18	2
Kilmacthomas,	34	13	8½	Shillelough,	52	7	0½
Kilmallock,	142	12	11½	Skibbereen,	48	15	2
Kilrush,	54	18	7	Skull,	15	13	7½
Kinsale,	62	9	6½	Sligo,	102	19	2
Larne,	105	6	2½	Strabane,	105	0	2½
Latterkenney,	32	10	10½	Stranorlar,	31	15	0½
Lisnavady,	72	6	8½	Strokestown,	52	19	6½
Lisnack,	204	11	3	Swinsford,	42	12	6½
Lisburn,	182	17	10½	Thomastown,	68	17	11½
Lismore,	51	17	8½	Thurles,	94	5	8½
Lisnakeen,	60	10	3½	Tipperary,	148	15	1½
Listowel,	56	2	11	Tobacco,	42	9	7
Londonderry,	169	13	4½	Trillick,	91	2	6½
Longford,	63	18	6½	Trim,	113	11	8
Loughrea,	79	9	4½	Tuam,	80	2	5
Lurgan,	149	19	10	Tulla,	34	16	1½
Macroom,	66	5	5½	Tullamore,	88	16	4½
Magherafelt,	96	5	0	Urringford,	47	9	0½
Malbow,	110	19	9½	Waterford,	159	18	4½
Mazurhamilton,	45	8	0	Westport,	32	8	4½
Millicton,	96	9	0½	Wexford,	112	13	9½
Milford,	31	3	7½	Youghal,	62	8	11½
Millstreet,	29	2	4				
Mitchelstown,	51	2	6½				
Mohill,	41	3	8				
				Total,	£14,436	12	1½

Sealed with our Seal, this Twenty-second day of July, in the Year of Our Lord One Thousand Eight Hundred and Eighty-five.

(Signed),

HENRY ROBINSON.  
GEORGE MORRIS.

CARNARVON,

I, HENRY HOWARD MOLYNEUX, EARL OF CARNARVON, Lord Lieutenant General and General Governor of Ireland, do hereby approve this Order.

By His Excellency's Command,

R. G. C. HAMILTON.

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NO. 2.—GENERAL ORDER ASSESSING UPON CONTRIBUTORY UNIONS under the National School Teachers' Act, their respective proportions of Results Fees for the year ending 31st March, 1886.

To the GUARDIANS of the POOR of the several Unions named in the Schedule to this Order; to the TREASURER of each of such Unions; and to all persons whom it may concern:

WHEREAS We, the Local Government Board for Ireland, have received from the Commissioners of National Education an Estimate for the year ending the 31st day of March, 1886, of the full amount payable as Results Fees in respect of Pupils attending the National Schools in each of the Unions which have become contributory Unions, under an Act passed in the Thirty-ninth year of the Reign of Her present Majesty, Queen Victoria, entitled "An Act to provide for additional Payments to Teachers of National Schools in Ireland:"

AND WHEREAS the Unions which have become contributory under the said Act are those of which the Names are placed in the first column of the Schedule hereto:

AND WHEREAS by the said Act it is enacted that the Commissioners of National Education shall require the Local Government Board in every year to provide a sum equal to one-third of such full amount payable as Results Fees as aforesaid, and that the said Local Government Board shall thereafter provide such sum in the manner by the said Act prescribed; and the Local Government Board have received from the Commissioners of National Education a requisition to provide, in the year 1885-86, a sum equal to one-third of such full amount aforesaid:

AND WHEREAS it is by the said Act further enacted—"Upon the receipt of every such estimate the Local Government Board shall by an Order under their Seal assess upon each contributory Union a sum equal to one-third of the full amount payable as results fees in respect of pupils attending the National schools in such contributory union, and shall transmit a copy of such order to the guardians and likewise to the treasurer of such contributory union, stating the amount so assessed on such contributory union."

AND it is further enacted that "forthwith on the receipt of such order by the treasurer of any contributory union he shall, out of the funds then lying in his hands to the credit of the guardians of such union, or if there shall be then no sufficient assets, out of the moneys next received by him and placed to the credit of such guardians, pay over the amount so assessed on such contributory union to the Bank of Ireland, to be there placed to the credit of the Commissioners of Education to a separate account, to be entitled 'The Results Fees Account:' and that the guardians of such contributory union shall in their account with the electoral divisions of such contributory union debit each electoral division with its proportion of the said amount according to the net annual value for the time being of the property rateable to the rates for the relief of the destitute poor in each such division:"

AND WHEREAS it is provided by the said Act that if in any financial year the sum provided by the Local Government Board in respect of any contributory union exceeds the amount required for the purposes of the Act in such year in respect of such contributory union, such overplus shall be carried to the credit of the next following financial year, and in such last-mentioned year only such sum shall be raised by



assessment on such contributory union as shall be necessary in addition thereto to make up the sum which would in the ordinary course under the said Act be required to be provided by the Local Government Board in respect of such contributory union in such next following year :

AND WHEREAS we have received from the Commissioners of National Education a statement of the surplus of previous assessments, as set forth in the fourth column of the Schedule hereto :

NOW THEREFORE, in pursuance of the powers vested in us by the said Act, We do hereby assess upon each of the unions named in the first column of the Schedule hereto the amount set opposite to its name in the fifth column, such sum being equal to one-third of such full amount payable as Results Fees as aforesaid by such Union, as set forth in the second column of the said Schedule, less the amount of surplus of previous assessments as set forth in the fourth column.

SCHEDULE.—CONTRIBUTORY POOR LAW UNIONS.

Name of Union.	Full Amount of Results Fees payable to the Teachers of National Schools situated in Union. (Estimated.)	Amount equal to one-third of the full amount of estimated Results Fees.	Surplus of previous Assessments.	Amount assessed on each Union, being one-third of the full amount of estimated Results Fees less amount of Surplus of previous Assessments.
1st Column.	2nd Column.	3rd Column.	4th Column.	5th Column.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Abbeyfeix, . . .	328 0 0	276 0 0	—	276 0 0
Ballymahon, . . .	592 10 0	197 10 0	52 10 0	145 0 0
Ballyvaughan, . . .	272 1 0	90 13 8	10 13 8	80 0 0
Belfast, . . .	16,018 0 3	5,338 13 5	138 13 5	5,200 0 0
Castlesomer, . . .	950 14 6	316 18 2	16 18 2	300 0 0
Cavan, . . .	2,272 13 9	757 13 3	194 13 3	653 0 0
Clagheen, . . .	1,060 0 0	620 0 0	—	620 0 0
Donaghmore, . . .	297 12 9	99 4 3	9 4 3	90 0 0
Downpatrick, . . .	2,761 17 9	920 12 7	50 12 7	870 0 0
Dungannon, . . .	1,930 0 0	650 0 0	—	650 0 0
Enniskillen, . . .	2,230 0 0	750 0 0	—	750 0 0
Kells, . . .	1,411 10 9	470 10 3	20 10 3	450 0 0
Larne, . . .	2,596 0 3	865 6 9	65 6 9	800 0 0
Lisburn, . . .	2,658 3 3	846 1 1	6 1 1	840 0 0
Midleton, . . .	1,890 6 0	663 8 8	23 8 8	640 0 0
Millford, . . .	600 6 0	220 2 0	10 2 0	210 0 0
Mullingar, . . .	1,674 0 0	558 0 0	—	558 0 0
Navan, . . .	1,840 0 0	610 0 0	—	610 0 0
Newry, . . .	2,961 1 9	987 0 7	17 0 7	970 0 0
Strabane, . . .	1,634 13 6	541 11 2	11 11 2	600 0 0
Trim, . . .	1,142 4 9	380 14 11	10 14 11	370 0 0

Sealed with our Seal, this Twenty-eighth day of May, in the year of Our Lord One Thousand Eight Hundred and Eighty-five.

(Signed),

CHARLES CROKER-KING.  
GEORGE MORRIS.

SPENCER,

I, JOHN POYNTZ, Earl Spencer, Lord Lieutenant-General and General Governor of Ireland, do hereby approve this Order.

By command of His Excellency,

W. S. B. KAYE.

**No. 3.—GENERAL ORDER for ELECTIONS to supply Vacancies in BOARDS of GUARDIANS, for year ending 25th March, 1886.**

TO THE GUARDIANS OF THE POOR of the several UNIONS named in the Schedule hereunto annexed; to the RETURNING OFFICER and other OFFICERS in each of the said UNIONS respectively, and to all other Persons whom it may concern :

WHEREAS by reason of default of election, disqualification, resignation, refusal to act, or otherwise, the proper number of Guardians does not exist in the Unions and Electoral Divisions thereof mentioned in the Schedule to this Order ; and it is expedient for the due administration of the Laws for the Relief of the Poor that such vacancies should be supplied.

NOW THEREFORE, under the authority of the Statute made and passed in the Second Year of the Reign of her present Majesty, Queen Victoria, entitled " An Act for the more effectual Relief of the Destitute Poor in Ireland," and of the several Acts in force amending the same, and providing for the execution of the Laws for Relief of the Poor in Ireland, we, the Local Government Board for Ireland, do hereby order and direct that—

1. The Returning Officer of each of the Unions in the said Schedule mentioned shall proceed in the manner and according to the form prescribed in the Order regulating the Election of Guardians now in force in such Union, for the Election of a Guardian or Guardians to supply the present vacancy or vacancies in the number of Guardians required in the several Electoral Divisions, named in the said Schedule against the name of the Union to which he is Returning Officer.

2. The Returning Officer shall give Notice of the Election to supply such vacancy or vacancies, in the Form of Notice hereunto annexed. And such Notice shall be posted in the usual places for posting such Notices, in the Electoral Division or Divisions respectively, for which the Election is to be held and a copy thereof shall be sent by post, to each of the Justices resident in the Division, or qualified to be Ex-Officio Guardians in respect of property situate therein.

3. The days on which the proceedings set forth in the said Election Order are to take place, shall be the following ; that is to say :—

The day for publishing Notice of the Election, shall be the	8th of June, 1885.
The last day for receiving Nominations of Candidates for the office of Guardian shall be the	13th of June, "
but no Nominations shall be received after the hour of 5 o'clock in the afternoon of that day.	
The day for forwarding the List of Candidates shall be the	17th of June, "
The day on which the Voting Papers shall be distributed in the event of any contest, shall be the	1st of July, "
and, if necessary, the following day.	
The day on which the Voting Papers shall be collected, shall be the	3rd of July, "
and, if necessary, the following day.	
The day for making the Return of Guardians elected, shall be the	7th of July
or any day (not being Sunday) after the said Seventh day of July, not later than the Fourteenth day of July next. But if in any Union no more Candidates for each Electoral Division be named in the List of Persons nominated than the number of Guardians to be elected for the same, the Returning Officer of such Union may make the Return of the Election on any day after the day for making up and	

forwarding the List of Candidates, and before the Seventh day of July; or if, after forwarding the said List, the number of Candidates, by reason of resignation or otherwise, be reduced to the number of Guardians to be elected, the Returning Officer may make the Return on any day after the day on which the number shall have been so reduced as aforesaid, and before the said Seventh day of July.

4. The cost of providing the Notice of the Election, and any other Forms required to be procured for use in such Election, and any other expense necessarily attending the Election, except the expenses incurred in respect of Voting Papers, shall be charged to the Electoral Division or the Electoral Divisions in common, as the case may be, for which the expense may be required to be incurred; and the cost of providing, distributing and collecting Voting Papers, where it may be necessary to issue such Papers, shall be charged to the respective Divisions for which they may be required.

## SCHEDULE.

NAMES OF UNIONS.	Names of Electoral Divisions for which an Election is to be held.	Number of Guardians now to be elected.	NAMES OF UNIONS.	Names of Electoral Divisions for which an Election is to be held.	Number of Guardians now to be elected.
ARRETLINX, .	Dartow, . . .	One.	KINSALE, . . .	Cullen, . . . Leighmoney, . . .	One. One.
ARDEE, . . .	Dunderr, . . . Killary, . . .	One. One.	LINAVADY	Ballykelly, . . .	One.
BALLYWONEY, .	Tamlagh, . . .	One.	LISTOWEL . . .	Kennismore, . . . Killichsany, . . .	One. One.
BALLYSHANNON, .	Belbeck, . . .	One.	LOUGHREA, . . .	Kilbreckill, . . . Moyoda, . . .	One. One.
BANBRIDGE, . .	Leitrim, . . .	One.	MACROOM, . . .	Geertanabrid, . . .	One.
BELMULLIST, . .	Belmullet, . . . Glensamoy, . . . Glenco, . . . Muinghabo, . . .	One. One. One. One.	MANORHAMILTON, .	Arigna, . . .	One.
CABERGVEER, . .	Caher, . . .	One.	MIDLSTON, . . .	Ightonmarragh, . . . Templecolum, . . .	One. One.
CAYAN, . . .	Corr, . . .	One.	MOUMTCELLICK, . .	Mountcellick, . . .	One.
CHAPDEN, . . .	Skennally, . . .	One.	NAAS, . . .	Naas, . . . Uak, . . .	One. One.
CLONAKILTY, . .	Templecolum, . . .	One.	NENAGH, . . .	Kilnash, . . .	One.
CLONNELL, . . .	Clounel, . . .	One.	NEWTOWNARDS, . .	Donaghadee, . . .	One.
COBN, . . .	Ballygarra, . . .	One.	OGHTERARD, . . .	Oughterard, . . .	One.
CRON, . . .	Ballygran, . . .	One.	RATHDOWN, . . .	Bwy, . . .	One.
DINGLE, . . .	Dreagin, . . .	One.	RATHKALE, . . .	Craggs, . . .	One.
DONAGHMORE, . .	Closhmore, . . .	One.	SLIGO, . . .	Dramlin, . . .	One.
DOWNPATRICK, . .	Strangford, . . .	One.	SWINERFORD, . . .	Brackloon, . . .	One.
DUBLIN, NORTH, .	Coolock, . . .	One.	TOBERCERRY, . . .	Carrowaskeagh, . . .	One.
DUNDALK, . . .	Upper Craggan, . . .	One.	TRALEE, . . .	Seartaglin, . . .	One.
ESPENDERV, . . .	Carbury, . . .	One.	TRIM, . . .	Athboy, . . .	One.
ENNES, . . .	Kilnamona, . . .	One.	TUAM, . . .	Kilburna, . . . Tuam, . . .	One. One.
KENMARE, . . .	Dawson, . . .	One.	WESTPORT, . . .	Clare Island, . . . Slievenachanagh, . . .	One. One.
KILKEEN, . . .	Ballykeel, . . .	One.			

## FORM OF NOTICE.

## NOTICE.

—UNION.

Election of [a Guardian or Guardians] of the Poor to supply [a vacancy or vacancies, or the case may be] in the Board of Guardians of the above Union, for the year ending the 25th of March, 1886.

I, the undersigned, Returning Officer of the above-named Union, do hereby give Notice that—

1. An Election of [a Guardian or Guardians] is to be held for the [Electoral Division, or Electoral Divisions, or undermentioned Electoral Divisions, Ward or Districts as the case may be] in the \_\_\_\_\_ Union; and the number of Guardians to be elected for such Divisions, Ward or District is as follows:—

For the Electoral Division of \_\_\_\_\_ guardians.

[The Names of the Electoral Divisions and the Number of Guardians to be here inserted, as well as the amount of Qualification where it is different for different Divisions.]

2. Any male person of full age, not expressly disqualified by law, who is entitled, under the provisions of the Acts for the Relief of the Destitute Poor in Ireland, to Vote at Elections of Guardians in the said Union, and who shall have been liable under the last made Rate to pay or contribute Rate in respect of property of the net annual value of not less than \_\_\_\_\_ Pounds [or the amounts above stated respectively], in his occupation, or for which he is rated as Owner or Immediate Lessor within the said Union, or who is entitled to vote in respect of net rent payable to his receipt in the said Union, of that amount, or who is entitled to vote in respect of Tithe Rent Charge payable to his receipt from property within the Union, of that amount, will be eligible as a Guardian, for any Electoral Division [Ward or District, as the case may be] above-named. But no person being in Holy Orders, or being a regular Minister of any religious denomination, is eligible as a Guardian; and no person who has been convicted of felony, fraud, or perjury—and no person who has been adjudged to be liable to any forfeiture for having provided, furnished, or supplied for his own profit, any materials, goods, or provisions for the use of any Workhouse, or for having been concerned in furnishing or supplying the same, or in any Contract relating thereto—is capable of being elected or appointed or of acting as Guardian.

3. No Occupier rated to the Poor Rate will be entitled to vote in that capacity unless he shall have paid all Poor Rates previously made and assessed upon him, except such as shall have been made or become due within Six Calendar Months immediately preceding such voting; and no Owner or Immediate Lessor who is rated under the provisions of the Act 6 & 7 Vic., c. 93, sec. 1 & 4, or of the Act 12 & 13 Vic., c. 91, sec. 63, or of the Act 12 & 13 Vic., c. 104, sec. 10, will be entitled to vote in respect of the property for which he is so rated, unless he shall have paid all the Rates made and assessed upon him in respect of such property, except such as shall have been made or become due within six calendar months immediately preceding such voting.

4. No Ratepayer will be entitled to vote in respect of any property not in his actual occupation, or in respect of any interest equivalent to Profit Rent arising out of property occupied by him, unless he shall, one calendar month at the least previous to the first day hereinafter named for collecting Votes, have delivered to the Board of Guardians of the Union, or to the person acting for the time being as Returning Officer, a statement in writing of his name and address, and the description and local situation of the property in respect of which he claims to vote, specifying in Cities, Towns, and their Suburbs, having Streets and other Roadways, the Name of the Street or Roadway, and the Number of the House or Tenement, if any, and the Parish in which the property is situate, and in other places the Barony, Parish, and Townland, so that the property may be ascertained and identified with reasonable certainty, together with the nature of the interest of the Ratepayer therein, and its net annual value over

and above all rents payable by him, and the amount of rent payable to him, and the Names of the Tenants or Occupiers by whom Poor Rates have been deducted from such rent, and such claim to vote must be executed in the presence of a Justice of the Peace.

5. Any Ratepayer in respect of property not in his actual occupation, may, by writing under his hand, appoint any person to Vote as his Proxy; but such Proxy must, one calendar month previous to the day on which he shall claim to Vote, have given to the Board of Guardians or the Returning Officer a statement in writing of his own name and address, and also the name and address of the Ratepayer appointing him such Proxy, and the description and local situation of the property in respect of which he claims to Vote as Proxy, specifying in Cities, Towns, and their Suburbs, having Streets and other Roadways, the Name of the Street or Roadway, and the Number of the House or Tenement, if any, and the Parish in which the property is situate, and in other places the Barony, Parish, and Townland, so that the property may be ascertained and identified with reasonable certainty, together with the nature of the interest of the Ratepayer therein, and its net annual value over and above all rents payable by him, and the amount of rent payable to him, and the Names of the Tenants or Occupiers by whom Poor Rates have been deducted from such rent. The Proxy must also give an original or attested copy of the writing appointing him such Proxy, and the claim to vote must be executed in the presence of a Justice of the Peace. No person can vote as a Proxy for more than twenty owners of property in any one Electoral Division or Ward, unless he be a Steward, Bailiff, Land Agent, or Collector of Rents for the owners of property for whom he may be appointed to vote.

6. Nominations of Guardians for any Electoral Division [Ward or District] above-named must be made by Ratepayers entitled to vote in the Division [Ward or District], according to the form prescribed by the Poor Law Commissioners, printed copies of which form may be had on application to me; and such Nominations will be received by me at \_\_\_\_\_, and will be receivable on and after the date of this Notice, up to the hour of five o'clock in the afternoon of the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_; but no nomination will be valid if received after that time, or before the issue of this Notice; or if the Nominator shall not have paid all the Poor Rates previously made and assessed upon him, except such as shall have been made or become due within the six calendar months immediately preceding the nomination.

7. If any person put in nomination for the office of Guardian in any Electoral Division [Ward or District *as the case may be*], above-named shall tender to the Returning Officer his refusal in writing, to serve such office, the Election of such person is to be no further proceeded with for such Division [Ward or District]; and such writing will be received by me at the place above named.

8. If more than the above mentioned number of Guardians be duly nominated for any Electoral Division [Ward or District] above named, I shall cause Voting Papers to be delivered on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, and if necessary on the following day, to the address in the Electoral Division [Ward or District] of each Rate-payer and Proxy qualified to Vote, which Voting Papers will contain full instructions as to the mode of Voting; and on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ and if necessary on the following day, I shall cause such Voting Papers to be collected.

9. On the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ and following days, I shall attend in the Board Room of the said Union, at the hour of 10 o'clock in the forenoon; and I shall thereafter proceed to ascertain the number of Votes given for each Candidate.

10. Every person entitled to vote, who shall not have received a Voting Paper, on either of the days appointed for delivering the same, may on application in person to the Returning Officer, on the days appointed for the collection of the Voting Papers, receive a Voting Paper, and fill up the same in the presence of the Returning Officer, and then and there deliver the same to him. And if in any case a Voting Paper duly issued shall not have been collected on the proper days, through the default of any of the persons employed by the Returning Officer for the collection of Voting Papers, the Voter may, in person, deliver the Paper to the Returning Officer on or before the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_.

11. If any person knowingly and fraudulently, and with the intent of giving a greater number of Votes than he is by law entitled to give, tender or forward to the Returning Officer a false statement of the grounds on which he claims to Vote, or to give additional Votes; or forge, falsify, or knowingly or fraudulently alter after signature, any Paper containing a Statement of Claim to Vote, Proxy, Nomination, or Vote for the Election of Guardians, or refusal to serve the Office of Guardian, or conspire, to forge, falsify, or so alter any such Paper; or knowingly tender or forward to the proper Officer any such Paper forged, falsified, or so altered as aforesaid; or wilfully suppress, carry off, destroy, or deface any Statement of Claim to Vote, Proxy, or Nomination of a Candidate for the Office of Guardian, after the same has been duly signed; or in like manner suppress, carry off, destroy, or deface any Voting Paper after the same has been issued by the Returning Officer; the Person so offending is liable to a penalty of Ten Pounds, recoverable by distress and sale of the offender's goods, or to Imprisonment for three months, on complaint and conviction before two Justices of the Peace.

(Name of Returning Officer)\_\_\_\_\_

Returning Officer for the Union.

Sealed with our seal this Sixteenth day of May, in the year of  
Our Lord One Thousand Eight Hundred and Eighty-five.

(Signed), HENRY ROBINSON.  
CHARLES CROKER-KING.  
GEORGE MORRIS.

SPENCER,

I, JOHN POYNTZ, EARL SPENCER, Lord Lieutenant-General and General Governor of Ireland, do hereby approve this Order.

By command of His Excellency,

R. G. C. HAMILTON.

#### NO. 4.—GENERAL ORDER AMALGAMATING WESTPORT AND NEWPORT UNIONS.

##### WESTPORT AND NEWPORT UNIONS.

To the GUARDIANS of the POOR of the UNIONS of WESTPORT and NEWPORT respectively; and to all other Persons whom it may concern.

WHEREAS, in pursuance of the provisions of an Act passed in the Second Year of the Reign of Her present Majesty, Queen Victoria, intitled "An Act for the more effectual Relief of the Destitute Poor in Ireland," the Poor Law Commissioners did, by an Order under their Seal, bearing date the Thirteenth day of July, in the Year of our Lord One Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty, Order and Declare that on the Twentieth day of July, then instant, the several Townlands named or described in the said Order should be and thenceforth remain united for the relief of the Destitute Poor by the name of the Westport Union:

AND WHEREAS, by an Order under their Seal, bearing date the Eighth day of October, 1849, the Commissioners for administering the Laws for Relief of the Poor in Ireland, in pursuance of the powers vested in them by an Act passed in the Tenth Year of the Reign of Her present Majesty, Queen Victoria, intitled "An Act to make further Provision for the Relief of the Destitute Poor in Ireland," did Declare that from and after the said Eighth day of October, 1849, certain Townlands should be added to, and certain other Townlands separated

from the said Westport Union, and by another Order under their Seal hearing the same date, the said last-mentioned Commissioners did Declare that the Townlands so separated from the said Westport Union which were named in the 1st Column of the Schedule annexed to the said last-recited Order should thenceforth be and remain united for the relief of the Destitute Poor by the name of the Newport Union.

AND WHEREAS by Orders under their Seal, bearing date, respectively, the Twenty-second day of May, 1851, the Eighteenth day of October, 1853, and the Sixteenth day of December, 1858, the said last-mentioned Commissioners did make certain alterations in the constitution of the said Unions:

AND WHEREAS it is expedient to amalgamate the said Unions by dissolving the said Newport Union and adding to the said Westport Union all the Townlands and other places which at present constitute the said Newport Union, and which are set forth and named in the Schedule A hereunto annexed:

NOW THEREFORE, in exercise of the powers vested in us in this behalf, We, the Local Government Board for Ireland, do hereby Order and Declare that from and after the Thirtieth day of September next, the said Newport Union shall be dissolved, and the several Townlands and other places set forth by name in the said Schedule A shall be added to and from thenceforth shall form part of the said Westport Union:

AND WE do hereby further Order and Declare that from and after the Thirtieth day of September next, the said Westport Union shall comprise and consist of all the several Townlands and other places named in the 1st Column of the Schedule B hereunto annexed, and shall be divided into Thirty-one Electoral Divisions, and such Electoral Divisions shall be named as in the 2nd Column of the said Schedule B, and shall comprise the several Townlands and other places which are set or bracketed opposite to the names of such Electoral Divisions respectively; and we do declare the said other places named in the said Schedules A and B hereunto annexed to be Townlands for the purposes of the said Acts:

AND WE do hereby farther Order and Declare that from and after the Thirtieth day of September next, the number of Guardians of the Westport Union constituted by this Order shall be Thirty-four, of which number Two shall be elected for the Westport Electoral Division, Two for the Derryloughan Electoral Division, Two for the Newport East Electoral Division, and One for each of the other Electoral Divisions.

AND WE do hereby further Order and Declare that, from and after the Thirtieth day of September next, the several Poor Rate Collectors' Districts and Relieving Officers' Districts of the Newport Union, as hitherto constituted, shall be Poor Rate Collectors' Districts and Relieving Officers' Districts of the Westport Union constituted by this Order; and the Poor Rate Collectors and Relieving Officers and Sanitary Sub-Officers of the said Newport Union shall be Poor Rate Collectors and Relieving Officers and Sanitary Sub-Officers of the said Westport Union for their said respective Districts, with the same duties as they are now bound to perform, and with the same salaries and allowances as they are now entitled to receive, but subject to the same liability to removal from office as such officers are at present subject to, and to such changes of Districts, duties, salaries, and allowances as hereafter may be made in pursuance of the said Act, of the Second Year of the Reign of Her Majesty, of the Act of the Fourteenth and Fifteenth Years of Her

Majesty's Reign, Chapter 68, and of the "Public Health (Ireland) Act, 1878," and of the several Acts altering and amending the said Acts.

AND We do hereby further Order and Declare, that from and after the Thirtieth day of September next, the several Dispensary Districts of the Newport Union, as hitherto constituted, shall be Dispensary Districts of the Westport Union, constituted by this Order, and that the several Medical and other Officers of the Dispensary Districts of the said Newport Union shall be Officers of the said Westport Union for their said respective Districts, with the same duties as they are now bound to perform, and with the same salaries and allowances as they are now entitled to receive, but subject to such changes of Districts, duties, salaries, and allowances as may hereafter be made in pursuance of the said Acts, and to such liability to removal from office as such Officers are at present subject to.

AND We do hereby further Order and Declare, that from and after the Thirtieth day of September next, the several elected Ratepayers who now are the elected Members of the Dispensary Committees of the said several Dispensary Districts shall continue to be Members of the said several Dispensary Committees respectively, and, together with the Guardians of the Poor of the said Westport Union constituted by this Order, resident or being the owners or occupiers of property in the said Districts respectively, shall constitute such Dispensary Committees until the appointments of new Dispensary Committees which shall take place after the next annual election of Guardians in the said Union.

#### SCHEDULE A.

##### NAMES OF TOWNSLANDS AND OTHER PLACES.

Bunacurry	Dookinelly ( <i>Calvey</i> )
Cashel	Dookinelly ( <i>Thanks</i> )
Dooniver	Keel, East
Maunnaman	Keel, West
Sulin	Slievemore
Tonatanvally	<i>Islands off the Coast:—</i>
<i>Islands off the Coast:—</i>	<i>Achill Head</i>
<i>Glassillem</i>	<i>Grubaleenabeg</i>
<i>Ilawory</i>	<i>Inishgalloon</i>
<i>Inishbeggle</i>	
<i>Rocillan</i>	Aughness
Carriekilldavnet	Bunmore, East
Carrowgarva	Bunmore, West
Claggan	Doona
Cloghmore	Drumicead
Derreen	Fahy
Doega	Gortrack, South
Mwedlin	Knockmoyleen
Sraheens	Lagduff Beg
<i>Achillbeg Island, off the Coast.</i>	Lagduff More
Bal of Dookinelly ( <i>Calvey</i> )	Owenglass
Bellamassally	Sheenmore
Doogort	Srahnamanbeg
Doogort, East	Srahedersdown
Doogort, West	Tarsaghunbeg, North
	Tarsaghunbeg, South



SCHEDULE A.—*continued.*

Bellagarvaun  
 Bellaveeny  
 Castlehill  
 Claggan  
 Clagganmountain  
 Dooreel  
 Drumgollagh  
 Essan  
 Greensun  
 Kildon  
 Lettern  
 Lurganarragh  
 Maunaratia  
 Owenduff  
 Seardun  
 Srahaggan  
 Tallagh  
 Tawnanashella

*Islands off the Coast :—*

*Aanagh*  
*Bleanmore*  
*Glassilan*  
*Ilancroagh*  
*Ilannamoun Islands (two)*  
*Ilaxroe*  
*Inishaghoo*  
*Thirty-six others*

Belfarsad  
 Bolinglauna  
 Bunamoo  
 Cartron  
 Caillaloughan  
 Cusblecka  
 Dooghbeg  
 Gubnahardia  
 Mwewillim  
 Owenduff  
 Pollranny (*Lynachaghan*)  
 Pollranny (*Sweey*)  
 Srahmore  
 Tonvegee, East  
 Tonrogoe, West  
*Islands off the Coast :—*

*Heath*  
*Ilanbaun*  
*Ilumbelfarsad*  
*Ilannona*  
*Ilaxroe*  
*Ilaxnawolt*  
*One other*

Aghadoosy Glebe  
 Ardagh  
 Barrackhill  
 Bleachyard  
 Cabergul  
 Callowbrack  
 Camclon Beg  
 Camclon More  
 Carrowkeel

Cauleaun  
 Cloonfogher  
 Corraunboy  
 Derradda  
 Derrintaggart  
 Derrygarve  
 Derryhillagh  
 Derrykill, East  
 Derrykill, West  
 Derryloughan Beg  
 Derryloughan More  
 Doogary  
 Doontrusk  
 Drumbrastle, East  
 Drumbrastle, West  
 Fauleens  
 Gortfahy  
 Gruffy  
 Keeloges  
 Kiltarnaght  
 Knockalegan  
 Knockboy  
 Knockglass  
 Knockmoyle  
 Knocknagoola  
 Letterlough  
 Lisdafl  
 Newport  
 Rosmore  
 Rosgibleen  
 Rusbeens  
 Shanavallyhugh  
 Skerdagh, Lower  
 Skerdagh, Upper  
 Tawnamartolagh  
 Tawnawoggaun

*Islands in Clew Bay :—*

*Carraigeanashibole*  
*Corraguanogallinghdoe*  
*Forillan*  
*Forillanabraker*  
*Freaghilla, East*  
*Freaghilla, West*  
*Freaghilla, West*  
*Gwafadla*  
*Ilannawick*  
*Ilannawabraker, East*  
*Ilannawabraker, West*  
*Inishcoragh*  
*Inishdaveel*  
*Inishdooncor*  
*Inishkee*  
*Kid, East*  
*Muckinish*  
*Roshyagh*  
*One other*

*Islands in Farnoe Lough :—*

*Ilaxroe*  
*Inishower*  
*Saints*

## SCHEDULE A.—continued.

Derryhrook	<i>Inishcoll, West</i>
Furnace	<i>Inishdauff</i>
Glennamong	<i>Inishfeesh</i>
Glenlara	<i>Inishbeg</i>
Letterkegn	<i>Inishmolt</i>
Lettermaghera, North	<i>Tash</i>
Lettermaghera, South	<i>One other</i>
Slakmore	
Slahrevagh	Bunnahowas
Tawnagrana	Carheenhrack
Toevaloughan	Carrowheg ( <i>Fergus</i> )
Trennibeg	Carrowheg, North
Trensluar	Carrowsallagh
	Derrycooldrim
Carrikanenaty	Dooghil
Carrowhawn	Drumfurhan
Carrow Beg, South	Glendahurk
Carrow More	Glennamaddoo
Clooneshil	Glenthomas
Creevaghau	Knockbreaga
Cuilmore	Knockloughra
Cullentragh	Knockmnus
Corragan	Meenadoghfinny
Derrylectagh	Mallaranney
Derrycootort, East	Murrevagh
Derrycootort, West	Newfield
Derryloughan, East	Oghillees
Derryloughan, North	Raigh
Derryloughan, South	Rockfleet
Drumlong	Roskeen, North
Drummanagheve	Roskeen, South
Gortawarla	Rosgalliv
Killride	Rossyvern
Killyroe	Rosturk
Knockcoragh	Sandhill
Knocknoyle	Seahacrick
Knocknaboley	Treel
Knocknaknawheel	Wilford
Knockaveely Glche	<i>Islands in Clew Bay:—</i>
Locarrow	<i>Beetle, North</i>
Mileum	<i>Beetle, South</i>
Mulleen	<i>Inishacrick</i>
Rosmore	<i>Inishbodunuan</i>
Rossanrubbhe	<i>Inishcauson</i>
Roslave	<i>Inishcoos</i>
Roslaber	<i>Inishcorky</i>
Rosheg	<i>Inishdasky</i>
Rosloosan	<i>Inishdeash Beg</i>
Rosow	<i>Inishdeash More</i>
Sandynacant	<i>Inisherkin</i>
Shandrum	<i>Inishgoela</i>
Tawnanameeltoge	<i>Inishlra</i>
Teernore	<i>Inishkeel</i>
<i>Islands in Clew Bay:—</i>	<i>Inishlin</i>
<i>Blawanseraw</i>	<i>Inishmacross</i>
<i>Inishterlin</i>	<i>Inishquirk</i>
<i>Rabbit</i>	<i>Inishulbrid</i>
<i>Rosburnagh</i>	<i>Kid, West</i>
<i>Sixpenny</i>	<i>Malmore</i>
<i>Inishbollog</i>	<i>Moynish Beg (two Islands)</i>
<i>Inishcull</i>	<i>Moynish More</i>

## SCHEDULE A.—continued.

<i>Rocillau</i>	Cloggarnagh, West
<i>Rossanureagh</i>	Cloondaff
<i>Rosturk</i>	Glendorragea
<i>Five others</i>	Gortnabreitia
<i>Island in Bellaclogher Bay:—</i>	Letterkeoghann
<i>Ilambeg</i>	<i>Islands in Beltra Lough</i>
	<i>Bush</i>
Ballyteige	<i>Coarce</i>
Bracklagh	<i>Islandmore</i>
Cloggarnagh, East	<i>One other</i>

## SCHEDULE B.

1st Col. Names of Townlands and other places.	2nd Col. Names of Electoral Divisions.	1st Col. Names of Townlands and other places.	2nd Col. Names of Electoral Divisions.
Aghagower, . . .	Aghagower, North.	Devlin, South, . . .	Allimore.
Ardagomman, . . .		Derrygarra Beg, . . .	
Ballybray, . . .		Derrygarra More, . . .	
Ballybellinann, . . .		Freemane, . . .	
Ballydonnellan, . . .		Killadea, . . .	
Bunraver, . . .		Kinnelochy, . . .	
Carrowkeel, . . .		Roona, . . .	
Cloondacan, . . .		Roonekeel, . . .	
Coalloughra, . . .		Bundorragea, . . .	Bundorragea.
Crogganasser, . . .		Derreenanashannagh, . . .	
Crowhill, . . .		Derreenawashin, . . .	
Cushkeel, . . .		Derry, . . .	
Cushmashenus, . . .		Glenconnelly, . . .	
Deerpark, . . .		Glencailla, . . .	
Derrygarra, . . .		Lettergarra, . . .	
Forkhill, or Gewel,		Tawnynalough, . . .	
Garra, . . .		Tawnynanna, . . .	
Gortoon, . . .		Teernabinnia, . . .	
Knockdrum, . . .		Tonstera, . . .	
Knockakeerry, . . .		Uggool, . . .	
Knockfalin, . . .		<i>Islands off the Coast:—</i>	
Knockroosky, . . .		Doonca, . . .	
Lagrevagh, . . .		Ilambella, . . .	
Mace, North, . . .		Curricias, . . .	
Mace, South, . . .		<i>One other,</i> . . .	
Mahanagh, . . .		Ballytoohy Beg, . . .	Clare Island.
Meneen, . . .		Ballytoohy More, . . .	
Mountbrown, . . .		Ballyheer, . . .	
Mayhavin, . . .		Bollivann, . . .	
Shanagh, . . .		Bannanobann, . . .	
Tawnagh, . . .		Copnagower, . . .	
Toerbeck, . . .		Craggy, . . .	
		Faunglas, . . .	
Aille, . . .	Aghagower, South.	Garrandy, . . .	
Anderry, . . .		Glen, . . .	
Senbeen, . . .		Kill, . . .	
Teerinish, East, . . .		Locarrow, . . .	
Teerinish, West, . . .		Mann, . . .	
Toerrosann, . . .		Mountain Common, . . .	
Tonlegue, . . .		Strake, . . .	
		<i>Smaller Islands adjoining Clare Island and Island off:—</i>	
Allimore, . . .	Allimore.	Ballytey, . . .	
Barnabann, . . .		Caher, . . .	
Carrowakey, . . .		Inishalla, . . .	
Cloonaar, . . .		Kinnardilla, . . .	
Cloonty, . . .		Doontrannan, . . .	
Corrynaghny, . . .		Doonilla, . . .	
Corrydail, . . .		Curricyankh, . . .	
Corrymalley, . . .			
Cree, . . .			
Devlin, North, . . .			



## SCHEDULE B.—continued.

1st Col. Names of Townlands and other places.	2nd Col. Names of Electoral Divisions.	1st Col. Names of Townlands and other places.	2nd Col. Names of Electoral Divisions.
Chesham, . . .	Kilgeever.	Mockagh, . . .	Kilmeem.
Craggashan, . . .		Rassakeeran, . . .	
Cragganagappul, . . .		Rosahill, . . .	
Cragganwaddy, . . .		Rosindillo, . . .	
Cushnyes, . . .		Rosmoney, . . .	
Derrybeagh, . . .		Rosnakilly, . . .	
Glenkeen, . . .		Rosnakey, . . .	
Glenumma, . . .		Rushera, . . .	
Knockeen, . . .		Shanallybeg, . . .	
Laghta Elghter, . . .		Singur, . . .	
Laghta Oughter, . . .		Tomahra, East, . . .	
Loughnamucka, . . .		Tomahra, West, . . .	
Srahnooley, . . .		Westport Demesne, . . .	
Srahrosky, . . .		Intake, . . .	
Srahwee, . . .	Kilmachuser.	<i>Islands in Clew Bay:—</i>	Kilmeem.
Aghagowla Beg, . . .		Atticlea, . . .	
Aghagowla More, . . .		Beetle, . . .	
Brockagh, . . .		Calf, . . .	
Curtou, . . .		Carriaganscragh, . . .	
Cultrean, . . .		Carriagenglass, . . .	
Derrinunera, . . .		North, . . .	
Derryribheen, . . .		Carriagenglass, . . .	
Drumgar, . . .		South, . . .	
Drumgooney, . . .		Clyish, . . .	
Drumilla, . . .		Collan Beg, . . .	
Faly Beg, . . .		Collan More, . . .	
Faly More, . . .		Corrigan, . . .	
Gorteen, . . .		Crocker, . . .	
Gortanclashagh, . . .	Kilmeena.	Croctick, . . .	
Kilmeena, . . .		Derrinick, . . .	
Knockmoylea, . . .		Dorinick Beg, . . .	
Knockmumard, . . .		Dorinick More, . . .	
Knockglass, . . .		Forillon, Island, . . .	
Laghtafaly, . . .		Preaghilla, . . .	
Rockilmeena, . . .		Green Island, . . .	
Silman, . . .		Green Islands (two), . . .	
Silmanroe, . . .		Manataggart, . . .	
Toorgarro, . . .		Blamane, . . .	
Arkeena, . . .		Blamascoway, . . .	
Ballinlough, . . .		Blamansena, . . .	
Beaulin, . . .		Isidbee, . . .	
Buckfield, . . .		Isidbeetle, . . .	
Carrowbeg, . . .	Kilmeena.	Isidbeetle, . . .	
Carrowcally, . . .		Isidbeetle, . . .	
Castkilly, . . .		Isidbeetle, . . .	
Claggon, . . .		Isidbeetle, . . .	
Clooseen, . . .		Isidbeetle, . . .	
Clooneen, . . .		Isidbeetle, . . .	
Coolbarren, . . .		Isidbeetle, . . .	
Couras, . . .		Isidbeetle, . . .	
Couraswick, . . .		Isidbeetle, . . .	
Cranreen, . . .		Isidbeetle, . . .	
Cragganashoran, . . .		Isidbeetle, . . .	
Cross, . . .		Isidbeetle, . . .	
Cushlogart, . . .		Isidbeetle, . . .	
Derrylea, . . .		Isidbeetle, . . .	
Derrynaff, . . .		Isidbeetle, . . .	
Derrynaraw, . . .		Isidbeetle, . . .	
Drumard, . . .		Isidbeetle, . . .	
Drumgarra, . . .		Isidbeetle, . . .	
Drumhaskert, . . .		Isidbeetle, . . .	
Drumshabo, . . .		Isidbeetle, . . .	
Knockasprola, . . .		Isidbeetle, . . .	
Knockaslanoman, . . .		Isidbeetle, . . .	
Knockballagh, . . .		Isidbeetle, . . .	
Knockboy, . . .		Isidbeetle, . . .	
Knockyohottan, . . .		Isidbeetle, . . .	
Knockypricksan, . . .		Isidbeetle, . . .	
Lickoraun, . . .		Isidbeetle, . . .	
Money, . . .		Isidbeetle, . . .	
Moyna, . . .		Isidbeetle, . . .	
Moyear, . . .		Isidbeetle, . . .	

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Barraghamna, . . .	Kilsallagh.	<i>Islands of the Coast:—</i>	Owenadornann.
Boheh, . . .		Carraigaglanagh, . . .	
Carrowmacloaghlin, . . .		Freahill, . . .	
Cartoce, . . .		Glanthlanbeg, . . .	
Cuilleen, . . .		Govera, . . .	
Durloo, . . .		Odunaglanagh, . . .	
Fargill, . . .		Blangista, . . .	
Glenbuan, . . .		Inishdeyilbeg, . . .	
Glenacally, . . .		Inishdeyilmore, . . .	
Gortendarragh, . . .		Tullatona, . . .	
Kinknock, . . .		Five others, . . .	
Kilsallagh, Lower, . . .		Bracklagh, . . .	Slieve Mahanagh.
Kilsallagh, Upper, . . .		Carrowkennedy, . . .	
Leckanvy, . . .	Knappagh.	Carrowmore, . . .	
Mullagh, . . .		Carrowreagh, . . .	
Tanginacartoor, . . .		Cardarragh, North, . . .	
Tawnyslinnann, . . .		Cardarragh, South, . . .	
		Carroagh, Lower, . . .	
		Carroagh, Upper, . . .	
		Claddy, . . .	
Ballygolman, . . .		Derakillow, . . .	
Bohera, . . .		Derryraff, . . .	
Boleybrian, . . .		Derryhebert, . . .	
Brackloon, . . .		Derryvra, . . .	
Cloonaigh, . . .		Derrinkee, . . .	
Cloonskill, . . .	Lonsburgh.	Glink, . . .	Westport.
Knappagh Beg, . . .		Keelkill, . . .	
Knappaghmanagh, . . .		Lacklert, . . .	
Knappagh More, . . .		Letterbrook, . . .	
Lackann, . . .		Itagh, . . .	
Lankill, . . .		Booghann, . . .	
Lannore, . . .		Aghamore, . . .	
Liscarny, . . .		Aisireesh, . . .	
Laghloen, . . .		Ardmore, . . .	
Tawnysmeellege, or Midgefield, . . .		Ardorey, . . .	
		Belclare, . . .	
Balloo, . . .	Owenadornann.	Buckwaris, . . .	
Belahkip, . . .		Cahernamart, . . .	
Bunowen, . . .		Carrowbaun, . . .	
Caher, . . .		Carrowbeg, . . .	
Calla, . . .		Carrowabargan, . . .	
Carrowdaghan, . . .		Chardnield, . . .	
Carrowmore, . . .		Clerham, . . .	
Cloancarrabann, . . .		Cloghan, . . .	
Croghnacree, . . .		Clooneen, . . .	
Derrylahan, . . .		Cloonaogad, . . .	
Falduff, . . .		Deerpark, East, . . .	
Glebe, . . .		Derrygerman, . . .	
Kilgavey, . . .		Drumminawachman, . . .	
Legan, . . .	Westport.	Drumindoo, . . .	
Oldend, . . .		Farnsight, . . .	
Moncen, . . .		Gortroe, . . .	
Brannachasky, . . .		Killaghoor, . . .	
Brannagh, . . .		Killeencoff, . . .	
Tosreen, . . .		Knockarra, East, . . .	
Tully, . . .		Knockarra, West, . . .	
		Knockin, . . .	
		Knockmany, . . .	
		Monamore, . . .	
		Rossbeg, . . .	
		Rosymalley, . . .	
		Shooree, . . .	
		Streamstown, . . .	
		Townany, . . .	
Carraignewann, . . .	Westport Demons.	Westport Demons, . . .	
Chagan, . . .		<i>Islands of the Coast:—</i>	
Cloonaighmanagh, . . .		Almolee, . . .	
Carraiguan, . . .		Ilannroe, . . .	
Dodreco, . . .		Inishmoola, . . .	
Doonaghty, . . .		Ronan, . . .	
Doovira, . . .		Two others, . . .	
Kinnakillow, . . .			
Lackakeely, . . .			
Mwedda, . . .			
Sinnoggin, . . .			
Tuwaydogan, . . .			
Tullavann, . . .			



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Knockmoyle, . . .	Newport, East.	Derryloughan, South, . . .	Derryloughan.
Knocknagheeha, . . .		Drumlong, . . .	
Letterlough, . . .		Drummanaglieve, . . .	
Lisduff, . . .		Gortawarra, . . .	
Newport, . . .		Kilteide, . . .	
Rosmore, . . .		Killyree, . . .	
Roughileen, . . .		Knockernagh, . . .	
Rushern, . . .		Knockmoyle, . . .	
Shanvallyhugh, . . .		Knocknabakey, . . .	
Skardagh, Lower, . . .		Knocknatinyweel, . . .	
Skardagh, Upper, . . .		Knocknaveely Glebe, . . .	
Tawnamariola, . . .		Leesrow, . . .	
Tawnaweggaun, . . .		Milcum, . . .	
<i>Islands in Clew Bay:—</i>		Meilcum, . . .	
<i>Corrigeenashibole,</i>		Rosmore, . . .	
<i>Corragunnaghill-</i>		Rossarubhle, . . .	
<i>aghloo, . . .</i>		Rosinve, . . .	
<i>Ferrillan, . . .</i>		Rosulur, . . .	
<i>Forillanabraker,</i>		Rosbeg, . . .	
<i>Freaghilvan, East,</i>		Rosdoonm, . . .	
<i>Freaghilvanagagh,</i>		Rosow, . . .	
<i>Freaghilvan, West,</i>		Randymount, . . .	
<i>Gulphado, . . .</i>		Shantrum, . . .	
<i>Illesavick, . . .</i>		Tawnamareetoge, . . .	
<i>Illesavickbraker,</i>		Teermore, . . .	
<i>East, . . .</i>		<i>Islands in Clew Bay:—</i>	
<i>Illesavickbraker,</i>		<i>Illesavick,</i>	
<i>West, . . .</i>		<i>Inishartin, . . .</i>	
<i>Inishavagh, . . .</i>		<i>Inisht,</i>	
<i>Inishavick, . . .</i>		<i>Inishavagh, . . .</i>	
<i>Inishavick, . . .</i>		<i>Killyree, . . .</i>	
<i>Kil, East, . . .</i>		<i>Inishbeg, . . .</i>	
<i>Muckinagh, . . .</i>		<i>Inishbeg, . . .</i>	
<i>Roslynagh, . . .</i>		<i>Inishbeg, . . .</i>	
<i>One other, . . .</i>		<i>Inishbeg, . . .</i>	
<i>Islands in Farnace</i>		<i>Inishbeg, . . .</i>	
<i>Lough:—</i>		<i>Inishbeg, . . .</i>	
<i>Illesave, . . .</i>		<i>Inishbeg, . . .</i>	
<i>Inishavick, . . .</i>		<i>Inishbeg, . . .</i>	
<i>Saint's, . . .</i>		<i>One other, . . .</i>	
Derrybrook, . . .	Shamore	Bunahowna, . . .	Newport, West.
Farnace, . . .		Carlesubrack, . . .	
Glennamong, . . .		Carrowbeg (Rogwe), . . .	
Glennara, . . .		Carrowbeg, North, . . .	
Letterkeen, . . .		Carrowbeg, South, . . .	
Lettermaghera, North, . . .		Derryvoldrim, . . .	
Lettermaghera, South, . . .		Doughill, . . .	
Shamore, . . .		Drumfuran, . . .	
Shamorevagh, . . .		Glennamaddoo, . . .	
Tawnagrande, . . .		Glendahurk, . . .	
Tevaloughan, . . .		Glenthoma, . . .	
Trombeg, . . .		Knockbrogue, . . .	
Tromlar, . . .	Derryloughan.	Knockloughan, . . .	
Carrickanewly, . . .		Knockmanas, . . .	
Carrowbeg, . . .		Meenacloghanny, . . .	
Carrowbeg, South, . . .		Mallanney, . . .	
Carrow More, . . .		Murrough, . . .	
Cleoneshill, . . .		Newfield, . . .	
Crevaghann, . . .		Oghillee, . . .	
Cullmore, . . .		Raigh, . . .	
Cullentrigh, . . .		Roskeef, . . .	
Carragan, . . .		Roskeen, North, . . .	
Derrylectagh, . . .		Roskeen, South, . . .	
Derrycontort, East, . . .		Rosgalliv, . . .	
Derrycontort, West, . . .		Rosgavra, . . .	
Derryloughan, East, . . .		Roskirk, . . .	
Derryloughan, North, . . .		Sandhill, . . .	
		Shamocick, . . .	
		Tred, . . .	
		Willford, . . .	



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<i>Islands in Glac Bay:—</i>		<i>Moglish More, .</i>	
<i>Beetle, North, .</i>		<i>Boadlann, .</i>	
<i>Beetle, South, .</i>		<i>Bannraghenga, .</i>	
<i>Inisherrick, .</i>		<i>Easturk, .</i>	Newport, West.
<i>Inishobannan, .</i>		<i>Five others, .</i>	
<i>Inishannon, .</i>		<i>Islands in Bellinagher</i>	
<i>Inishooon, .</i>		<i>Bay, .</i>	
<i>Inishoorry, .</i>		<i>Blaweg, .</i>	
<i>Inisholasky, .</i>			
<i>Inishoosh Beg, .</i>		<i>Ballyteige, .</i>	
<i>Inishoosh More, .</i>		<i>Bracklagh, .</i>	
<i>Inisherie, .</i>	Newport, West.	<i>Chaggaragh, East, .</i>	
<i>Inishyoola, .</i>		<i>Chaggaragh, West, .</i>	
<i>Inishlira, .</i>		<i>Cloonduff, .</i>	
<i>Inishlost, .</i>		<i>Glendarragh, .</i>	
<i>Inishlira, .</i>		<i>Gortnahalla, .</i>	Glenhest.
<i>Inishnacross, .</i>		<i>Lettorkesghann, .</i>	
<i>Inishyquirk, .</i>		<i>Islands in Beltra</i>	
<i>Inishlabbaid, .</i>		<i>Lough:—</i>	
<i>Kid, West, .</i>		<i>Bach, .</i>	
<i>Malmore, .</i>		<i>Coarse, .</i>	
<i>Moglish Beg (two</i>		<i>Islandmore, .</i>	
<i>Islands), .</i>		<i>One other, .</i>	

Given under our Hands and Seal of Office, this Eighth day of August, in the Year of our Lord One Thousand Eight Hundred and Eighty-five.

(Signed),

W. HART DYKE,  
HENRY ROBINSON,  
GEORGE MORRIS.

CARNARVON.

I, HENRY HOWARD MOLYNEUX, EARL OF CARNARVON, Lord Lieutenant General and General Governor of Ireland, do hereby approve this Order.

By His Excellency's Command,

R. G. C. HAMILTON.

NO. 5.—REGULATIONS in pursuance of "THE LABOURERS (IRELAND) ACT, 1885," Section 12, Sub-section 2, and Sections 13 and 15.

WE, the Local Government Board for Ireland, do hereby regulate and prescribe that the time within which Petitions under the 12th Section, Sub-section 2, of "The Labourers (Ireland) Act, 1885," against a Provisional Order for confirming an Improvement Scheme under "The Labourers (Ireland) Act, 1883," or under "The Labourers (Ireland) Act, 1885," and also Petitions against an Amending Provisional Order under Section 13 of "The Labourers (Ireland) Act, 1885," may be lodged with us in pursuance of the last-named Act, shall be one calendar month after the making and publication of the Provisional Order or Amending Provisional Order, as the case may be.

A Provisional Order or Amending Provisional Order shall (for the purpose of this regulation) be published by means of an advertisement in

some two or more newspapers circulating within the jurisdiction of the Sanitary Authority who shall have obtained the Provisional Order or Amending Provisional Order, stating the fact of the Provisional Order or Amending Provisional Order, as the case may be, having been made.

And we do further hereby regulate and prescribe that the public advertisement of any amendment proposed to be made in an Improvement Scheme under Section 15 of "The Labourers (Ireland) Act, 1885," shall be given by publishing the same during three consecutive weeks in two or more newspapers circulating within the jurisdiction of the Sanitary Authority who shall have resolved to propose such amendment, the first of the three advertisements to be published within one calendar month after the date of the Sanitary Authority's resolution.

Given under our Hands and Seal of Office, this Ninth day of September, in the Year of Our Lord One Thousand Eight Hundred and Eighty-five.

(Signed,)

HENRY ROBINSON,  
CHARLES CROKER-KING,  
GEORGE MORRIS.

#### NO. 6.—REGULATIONS in pursuance of "The LABOURERS (IRELAND) ACT, 1885," Section 22.

WHEREAS the 22nd Section of the "Labourers (Ireland) Act, 1885," provides that:—

"Any person indebted to a Board of Guardians in respect of poor rate for property situate in any Union, to whom such board of Guardians, in their capacity as Sanitary Authority, are indebted for rent for any land held by them for a term of years under this Act in that Union, may set off against the sum so due by him for rates the sum due to him for rent as aforesaid. Any such person shall be entitled to be furnished from time to time by the Clerk of the Union with a certificate or statement of account, in such form as the Local Government Board may order, showing the amount of the debts which may be set off against each other under this section. And the Local Government Board may from time to time make regulations for carrying this section into effect."

NOW WE, the Local Government Board for Ireland do hereby make the following Regulations for carrying the above quoted section into effect:—

1. The Statement of the Account to be furnished from time to time by the Clerk of the Union on the application of any person indebted to the Board of Guardians in respect of Poor Rate for property situate in the Union, to whom the Board of Guardians, in their capacity as Sanitary Authority, are indebted for rent for any land held by them under the Labourers (Ireland) Acts, 1883 and 1885, shall be in the Form contained in the Schedule to this Order.
2. A copy of the Statement of Account, when furnished as provided in Clause 1, shall be forwarded by the Clerk of the Union to the Poor Rate Collector of the District in which the property in respect of which rates are due is situate.
3. Where the account shows a balance due to the Board of Guardians, the Collector of Poor Rate shall receive from the person indebted to the Guardians the amount of such balance, together with a

receipt for the amount of rent due and payable by the Guardians, and shall thereupon hand to such person the usual Poor Rate Receipts for the amount of all the Rates for which the latter was liable, as shown in the Account.

Where the Account shows the balance to be due by the Board of Guardians, by reason of the rent payable exceeding the rate receivable, a Cheque for the amount of such balance, drawn by the Guardians *in favour of the person to whom such balance is due*, shall be handed by the Clerk of the Union to the Poor Rate Collector, who shall give the same, together with the usual Poor Rate Receipts for the Rates due, to the person entitled to receive such Cheque and Receipts, on receiving from him a Receipt for the rent due.

4. The Poor Rate Collector shall hand to the Clerk of the Union, at each examination of his accounts by the Clerk, all Receipts for rents he may have received, and on the account referred to above being closed in the manner provided by this Order, the Clerk of the Union shall debit the area chargeable under the Labourers (Ireland) Acts with the rent paid, and credit the Electoral Division concerned with the Rates received as shown in the *foreaid* Statement of Account.

Given under our Hands and Seal of Office, this Twenty-ninth day of September, in the Year of Our Lord One Thousand Eight Hundred and Eighty-five.

(Signed),

HENRY ROBINSON.  
CHARLES CROKER-KING.  
GEORGE MORRIS.

#### SCHEDULE.

##### —UNION.

ACCOUNT OF RENT due by the BOARD OF GUARDIANS to ——— for Land held by them under the Labourers (Ireland) Acts, 1883 and 1885, and of Rates due by ——— to the Board of Guardians.

Rent due to —————				Rates due by —————					
Situation of Land		Date on which Rent was due.	Amount of Rent due.	Property in respect of which Rates are due.					Amount of Rates due.
Electoral Division.	Town-land.			Electoral Division.	Town-land.	Number in Rate Book.	Whether due as Occupier or Immediate Lessor.	Date on which Rate was made.	
									£ s. d.
Balance due to the Board of Guardians.*				Balance due by the Board of Guardians.*					
Total, . . .				Total, . . . . .					

\* The balance to be inserted on either side according to the circumstances.

Date, ———

———Clerk of Union.

H.—ORDER ISSUED UNDER THE MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT, AND  
VACCINATION ACTS.

GENERAL RULES for the GOVERNMENT of DISPENSARY DISTRICTS  
and for the PERFORMANCE of VACCINATION.

To the GUARDIANS of the POOR of the several UNIONS named in the Schedule herewith annexed, and the CLERKS thereof; to the COMMITTEES of MANAGEMENT of DISPENSARY DISTRICTS therein; to the OFFICERS of such DISTRICTS; and to all others whom it may concern:

WHEREAS, in exercise of the powers vested in them by an Act passed in the fifteenth year of the reign of Her Majesty Queen Victoria, intituled "An Act to provide for the better distribution, support, and management of medical charities in Ireland, and to amend an Act of the eleventh year of Her Majesty to provide for the execution of the laws for the relief of the poor in Ireland," the Commissioners for administering the laws for relief of the poor in Ireland, by orders under their Seal, have declared the Dispensary Districts formed under the said Act, in the several Unions named in the Schedule annexed to this Order:

AND WHEREAS by a General Order dated the 16th day of December, 1853, they did in pursuance of the powers vested in them by the said recited Act, frame and issue certain general rules and regulations for the government of each Dispensary District, and for the guidance and control of the Guardians, the Committees of Management, and the several Officers to be appointed in connexion therewith, respectively; and by certain other General Orders, bearing date respectively the 10th day of October, 1862, the 6th day of January, 1863, the 26th day of November, 1864, and the 29th day of November, 1869, they did alter the said general regulations in certain particulars in the said Order specified:

AND WHEREAS by certain other General Orders bearing date respectively the 23rd day of September, 1858, and the 29th day of January, 1864, they did in pursuance of the provisions of an Act passed in the twenty-second year of the reign of Her Majesty, intituled "An Act to make further provision for the practice of vaccination in Ireland," make and issue certain regulations relating to vaccination in the several Dispensary Districts:

AND WHEREAS We, the Local Government Board for Ireland, by a General Order bearing date the 3rd day of October, 1879, did make and issue certain regulations relating to vaccination in the several Dispensary Districts:

AND WHEREAS We, the Local Government Board for Ireland, deem it expedient to alter, amend, and consolidate the general rules and regulations contained in the said recited Orders:

NOW, THEREFORE, in exercise of the powers vested in Us, We do hereby revoke and rescind so much of every Order or General Order here-

tofore issued by and under the Seal of the Commissioners for administering the laws for relief of the poor in Ireland, or under the Seal of the Local Government Board for Ireland, to any of the Unions named in the Schedule hereto annexed, and now in force, as is in any way repugnant to, or at variance with, the rules and regulations herein contained, except so far as the same may have related to the appointment of any of the existing Officers, and except as to any other proceeding already taken, or matter or thing already done, under such Order.

AND We do hereby order, direct, and declare with respect to each of the Unions named in the said Schedule, and each Dispensary District formed therein under the said Act, as follows :

#### COMMITTEE OF MANAGEMENT.

ARTICLE 1.—Immediately on the completion of a new Committee of Management for each Dispensary District after each annual election of Guardians in the union, the clerk of the union shall make a return in the form No. 1, annexed to this Order, to us the said Local Government Board, of the names and addresses of the respective members of the Committee; and in like manner, on any election by the Board of Guardians of a rate-payer or rate-payers to fill any vacancy or vacancies in any such Committee, the clerk shall make a return to us, in the form No. 2, annexed to this Order.

ARTICLE 2.—The clerk of the union shall, on the appointment of a new Committee as aforesaid, send to each member of the Committee for every Dispensary District, a notice in the annexed form No. 3; and on the election of any rate-payer to supply a vacancy at any time in any of the said Committees, the clerk shall send to him a notice in the annexed form No. 4.

ARTICLE 3.—Immediately upon the completion of any new Committee as aforesaid, the Clerk of the union shall furnish each Medical Officer with a list, according to the annexed form No. 5, of the names and residences of all persons entitled to give tickets for medical relief in his district, that is to say, of the members of the Committee, and of every Relieving Officer and Warden acting as such for any electoral division included in such district; and the Medical Officer shall lay such list before the Committee of Management at their first meeting after receipt thereof. And the Clerk shall in like manner notify, from time to time, any changes, from death or otherwise, of members of the Committee of Management, Relieving Officers, or Wardens, in any districts, to the respective Medical Officers thereof, who shall lay such notification before the Committee of Management at their first meeting after receipt thereof.

ARTICLE 4.—After the completion of the Committee in each year, the Clerk of the union shall prepare a notice specifying the persons and their residences to whom application may be made for tickets for medical relief, the situation of the dispensary or dispensaries stations in the district, the days and hours of attendance at each, the name and residence of the medical officer, the days and hours when the medical officer will attend at each of the places within such dispensary district appointed by the Committee for the purpose of vaccination, and such other particulars of the dispensary arrangements as may be necessary to afford due facility for obtaining medical relief and vaccination where requisite. Such notice shall be in the form N, annexed to this order; and a copy shall be posted at each dispensary in the district, and at such other places in the district as may be necessary for the due notification of the dispensary arrangements. The Clerk shall also cause a notice board, in the form O, to be kept conspicuously painted and affixed on the exterior of each dispensary in the district, showing the days and hours of attendance of the medical officer.

ARTICLE 5.—Whenever any person ceases to be a member of the Committee, or a warden, or a relieving officer, the Clerk of the Union shall transmit to him a notice in the form No. 6, hereto annexed, apprising him of the cessation of his power to issue tickets for medical relief and requiring him to return to the Board of Guardians any forms of the tickets for medical relief, which had been issued to him in the medical relief ticket check books (forms E 1 and E 2, hereinafter mentioned) and which may not have been used.

## MEETINGS OF THE COMMITTEE.

ARTICLE 6.—The Committee of each district shall after the annual appointment of a new Committee, elect from their own body a Chairman and Vice-Chairman, each of whom shall continue to act as such until the appointment of a new Committee, unless he shall previously die, resign, or become incapable or disqualified by ceasing to be a member of the Committee. Notice of the proposed election of a Chairman and Vice-Chairman shall be given to each member of the Committee by the Clerk of the union in the form A 1, hereto annexed, and shall be sent by the Clerk to every member of the Committee, immediately on the completion of a new Committee. The election of a Chairman and Vice-Chairman shall take place at the first ordinary meeting of the Committee, at the usual hour of meeting, provided that three clear days shall elapse between the day on which the Committee is completed and the day of the first ordinary meeting of the Committee; but if three clear days shall not elapse between the day on which the Committee is completed and the day of the first ordinary meeting of the Committee, the election of a Chairman and Vice-Chairman shall take place on the day of the second ordinary meeting of the Committee, at the usual hour of meeting. And if a Chairman or Vice-Chairman die, resign his office, or become incapable or disqualified as aforesaid to act as such Chairman or Vice-Chairman before the expiration of the term of office for which he was appointed, the Committee shall, within one month after the occurrence of such death, resignation, incapacity, or disqualification, and not sooner than seven days after such vacancy shall have been notified to the Committee at an ordinary meeting of the Committee, elect some other member of the Committee to such office. Notice of the election to fill the vacancy shall be given to each member of the Committee by the Clerk of the union at least three days before the election shall take place.

ARTICLE 7.—The committee shall after each annual appointment of a new committee, and afterwards from time to time on the occurrence of any vacancy, appoint, from their own body, an honorary secretary and an honorary assistant secretary, who shall continue to hold their respective offices during the pleasure of the committee, or until death, resignation, or disqualification, by ceasing to be a member of the committee:—Provided that on the termination of the year of office of the committee, the secretary and assistant secretary, if they continue members thereof, respectively, need not be re-elected by the committee, but shall continue to act as secretary or assistant secretary, unless any other appointment to either of those offices be made by the committee.

ARTICLE 8.—The committee shall hold ordinary meetings from time to time, at the dispensary or one of the dispensaries of the district, or at other places, the approval of the Local Government Board having been previously obtained, on such day of the week and at such hour as may be fixed by the committee, once in each fortnight or not less frequently than once in each calendar month, as the committee, with the sanction of the Local Government Board, may determine; and the time fixed for the ordinary meetings of the committee shall be reported to the Local Government Board; and the committee may adjourn any meeting to any day earlier than the next ordinary day of meeting, if they shall deem it necessary to do so.

ARTICLE 9.—The committee may, when they think fit, with the sanction of the Local Government Board, change the day or hour of their ordinary meetings, and shall cause any such change to be reported to the Local Government Board.

ARTICLE 10.—At every meeting of the committee, the chairman, or in his absence, the vice-chairman, shall preside; but if, at the commencement of any meeting, the chairman and vice-chairman be absent, the members present shall elect one of themselves to preside at such meeting as chairman thereof, until the chairman or vice-chairman (as the case may be) may take the chair.

ARTICLE 11.—An extraordinary meeting of the committee may be summoned, to be held at any time, upon the requisition of any two members of the committee, addressed to the secretary or assistant secretary of the committee. Every such requisition shall be made in writing, and may be according to the form A 2 hereto annexed; and no business, other than the business specified in the said requisition, shall be transacted at such extraordinary meeting. Provided

that the chairman or vice-chairman, together with the secretary or assistant secretary, may, by a notice in Form B, hereunto annexed, summon an extraordinary meeting when deemed necessary by them, without a previous requisition from any other members of the committee; and an extraordinary meeting shall be summoned by any one of these officers on being required by the Local Government Board to summon such meeting.

ARTICLE 12.—At every meeting of the committee, the secretary, or in his absence the assistant secretary, or in the absence of both, some member of the committee to be appointed secretary *pro tempore*, shall record the proceedings of the committee in a Minute Book to be provided for that purpose; and he shall conduct the necessary correspondence and business of the committee in accordance with their directions; and shall provide for the safe custody, at the dispensary, of the books, papers, documents, and correspondence of the committee, except the books hereinafter directed to be kept by the medical officer, which are to be kept in his custody, at the dispensary, and to be laid before the committee at their ordinary meetings from time to time.

ARTICLE 13.—Notice of any extraordinary meeting, and notice of every change in the time or place of holding any ordinary meeting, and notice of the adjournment of any meeting shall be given in writing to every member of the committee. Every such notice shall be respectively according to the Forms B, C, D, hereunto annexed, and shall be given or sent to every member of the committee, or be left at his place of abode, two days, if practicable, before the day appointed for the meeting to which it relates; but if any case of emergency should arise, requiring that an extraordinary meeting of the committee should immediately take place, notice shall nevertheless be given to as many of the members of the committee as may be practicable; and they shall meet at the ordinary place of meeting, and take such case into consideration.

#### PROCEEDINGS OF THE COMMITTEE.

ARTICLE 14.—Every question at any meeting of the committee shall be determined by a majority of the votes of the members present thereof and voting on the question; and when there shall be an equal number of votes on any question, such question shall be deemed to have been lost.

ARTICLE 15.—The presiding chairman shall be entitled to give one vote upon each question that may be submitted to the committee; but he shall not under any circumstances be entitled to give any additional or casting vote.

ARTICLE 16.—At every ordinary meeting of the committee, the business shall be conducted as follows:—

i. The minutes of the last ordinary meeting, and of any other meeting which may have been held since such ordinary meeting, signed by the chairman of the meeting, shall be read to the Committee; and an entry of the same having been so read shall be made in the minutes of the day when read.

ii. The committee shall examine the register of persons to whom medical relief shall have been afforded since the last meeting of the committee; such register to be in the Form F, annexed to this order, and to be duly entered up by the medical officer and produced at each meeting of the committee.

iii. The committee shall give directions regarding all persons so relieved as aforesaid, in pursuance of their powers under the 9th section of the said Act of the fifteenth year of Her Majesty; and such directions shall be recorded and authenticated in the several columns of the register, in the manner pointed out in the Form F, hereunto annexed.

iv. The committee shall examine the Vaccination Registers.

v. The committee shall examine and consider any reports made and entered by the medical officer in his report-book (Form I), since the last meeting of the committee, and give the necessary directions thereon, and record the same on their minutes; and the committee shall also examine the copy of the medical officer's return (Form L) laid before them in pursuance of the direction hereinafter contained.

vi. The committee shall, from time to time, as occasion shall arise, receive and consider the medical officer's estimate of the medicines and medical appliances required, and of the quantities thereof remaining on hand; and shall

forward the same, or a copy thereof, to the Board of Guardians of the Union, with a requisition for the articles required; and such estimate and requisition may be in the annexed Forms M 1 and M 2.

vii. The committee shall, on receiving from the medical officer a report in the Form H hereinafter referred to, transmit the same to the Board of Guardians forthwith.

viii. The committee shall also, at the first ordinary meeting in each quarter, prepare and forward to the Board of Guardians an account of any incidental expenses incurred since the last preceding quarterly account, with an estimate of any similar expenses for the ensuing quarter.

#### APPOINTMENT OF PAID OFFICERS.

ARTICLE 17.—The committee of management of each dispensary district shall from time to time appoint such officers as may be directed by sealed order of the Local Government Board for the service of the dispensary district; and shall, upon the occurrence of any vacancy, cause the same to be reported to the Local Government Board, and proceed to a new appointment.

ARTICLE 18.—No appointment of any officer directed to be appointed by the committee, in pursuance of any order issued under the seal of the Local Government Board, shall be made unless notice that such appointment will be made shall have been given and entered on the minutes at a meeting of the committee one fortnight at least preceding the meeting at which the appointment is to be made, and unless an advertisement giving notice of such appointment shall, by the direction of the committee, entered on their minutes, be inserted in some public paper at least ten days before the day on which such appointment is to be made.

ARTICLE 19.—Every officer to be appointed in pursuance of any order under the seal of the Local Government Board shall be appointed by a majority of the committee present, and voting, at any meeting of the committee, in the manner directed in Article 14; and every such appointment shall, as soon as the same shall have been made, be reported to the Local Government Board by the secretary or assistant secretary of the committee.

#### MEDICAL OFFICER, &c.

ARTICLE 20.—The qualification of every medical officer, compounder of medicines, or midwife, to be appointed by the committee of management of any dispensary district shall be as follows, that is to say:—

Of every medical officer—

i. He shall have obtained a degree in medicine, or a diploma or licence to practise medicine, from some college or other body that may be authorized to grant a diploma or licence to practise medicine in Great Britain or Ireland, or he shall be a Licentiate of the Apothecaries' Hall, Dublin, or of the Society of Apothecaries, London; and he shall have obtained a diploma in surgery or a licence to practise surgery from some college or other body that may be authorized to grant a diploma or licence to practise surgery in Great Britain or Ireland, and also a certificate from some board or court of examiners, or other body duly authorized to grant the same, of his possessing a competent knowledge of midwifery.

ii. Provided that, under special circumstances affecting the particular dispensary district for which the appointment is made, that part of the above regulation which requires a separate certificate in midwifery or diploma may be dispensed with by the said Local Government Board, if they shall deem it necessary to do so.

iii. Provided also, that the above qualification shall not be necessary in the case of any person holding the office of medical officer of a dispensary district at the date hereof, either in respect of his present appointment or any such future appointment, or in the case of any person who shall at any time previously to his appointment as medical officer of a dispensary district have held office in any union in Ireland, either as medical officer of a dispensary or medical officer



of a workhouse, having been duly qualified for such office at such previous time.

iv. He shall have reached the age of twenty-one years.

Of every compounder of medicine—

He shall have obtained the Licence of the Apothecaries' Hall, Dublin, or from the Society of Apothecaries, London, or a certificate of competency from the Pharmaceutical Society.

And of every midwife—

She shall have obtained from some recognised lying-in hospital a certificate as to her proficiency in midwifery, or produce such evidence of practical knowledge of midwifery as shall be approved by the Local Government Board.

#### DUTIES OF MEDICAL OFFICER.

ARTICLE 21.—The duties of every medical officer of a dispensary district under the said Act, shall be as follows, that is to say :—

##### MEDICAL RELIEF.

i. He shall attend at the dispensary of the district or division of a district under his charge, on such days and at such hours as the committee of management may direct, for the purpose of affording medical relief to any poor person applying for the same, and presenting a ticket as hereinafter provided, and for the vaccination of all persons who may come to him for the purpose.

ii. He shall duly and punctually attend, either at the dispensary during the appointed hours for attendance thereat, or at the home of the party on whose behalf application is made, or elsewhere as the case may require, and supply all requisite medical and surgical advice and assistance to every poor person in the district or division of a district under his charge, whom he shall be required to attend as medical officer, by a ticket, signed by a member of the committee of management of the dispensary district, or by a relieving officer or warden, acting for any electoral division included in such district; and shall continue his attendance until such attendance is no longer required, or until the ticket be cancelled; such tickets being in the Form E 1, annexed to this order, when medical relief is required to be given at the dispensary only, and in the Form E 2, annexed to this order, when medical relief is required to be given at the home of the patient or elsewhere; and all such tickets received by the medical officer shall be filed by him at the dispensary, the number of the case in the register (Form F), being marked by him on the face of each ticket, before filing it, and shall be preserved for a period of at least two years.

iii. In every case in which application shall be made to him for medical relief, other than vaccination, he shall require to be furnished with a ticket, signed by some person authorized to grant it, and shall not afford medicine or medical appliances, except in urgent cases, before the ticket has been presented.

iv. He shall give a written certificate under his hand to the committee of management or the Board of Guardians, or the relieving officer, when called upon to do so, of the state of health of any dispensary patient attended by him, and of such patient's fitness or unfitness to be removed to any union hospital, as the case may be.

v. He shall keep and duly enter up the medical relief register according to the Form F, hereunto annexed, and submit the same to the committee of management at each ordinary meeting.

vi. He shall, from time to time, as may be necessary, deliver or forward to the committee an estimate (in the annexed Form M 1), of any medicines and medical appliances required, and of the quantities thereof remaining on hand, and in the event of such medicines and medical appliances being urgently and immediately required, he may forward the estimate direct to the Board of Guardians.

vii. He shall carefully compare the medicines delivered at the dispensary with the invoice relating thereto, and he shall preserve a copy of the invoice.

## VACCINATION.

viii. He shall vaccinate all persons who may come to him for that purpose at the dispensary, and shall do and perform all such other acts and things as may be necessary for the purpose of causing such vaccination to be successfully terminated; and shall attend at such convenient places within each vaccination district formed by the committee, at the times fixed and approved by them, for the purpose of vaccinating all persons resident in his district who may come to him or whom he may be requested to vaccinate, being fit subjects for vaccination; and he shall keep and duly enter up a register in the annexed Form G, of all cases of successful vaccination performed by him as medical officer of the dispensary district; and submit the same to the committee of management at each ordinary meeting. Provided, however, that in any case where the medical officer of the dispensary district is also the Registrar of Births and Deaths for the district, it shall not be necessary for him to insert in the said vaccination register Form G, any cases which he may have duly entered in the register of vaccination which he is required to keep in pursuance of the 7th section of the Act of the 26 & 27 Vic., cap. 52, intituled "An Act to further extend, and make compulsory the practice of vaccination in Ireland."

ix. He shall inspect every person vaccinated by him on the same day of the week following the day on which such person had been vaccinated, and also on such other days as he may deem necessary.

x. The report which he is required by the said Act of the twenty-first and twenty-second years of Her Majesty, to make to the committee of management, of all persons successfully vaccinated by him, shall be made by him in the Form H hereunto annexed, and the register (Form G), referred to therein, shall be open at all reasonable times to inspection by any member of the Board of Guardians or dispensary committee.

xi. He shall forward to the Board of Guardians on the 31st day of March, 30th day of June, 30th day of September, and 31st day of December in each year, a report in the Form P, hereunto annexed, containing the names of all children registered as born in the district, who are over three months of age and who do not appear to have been vaccinated.

xii. The re-vaccination of persons applying for the purpose should be limited by the following conditions:—

- 1st. That the person has attained the age of 15 years, or, if there be an immediate danger of small-pox, the age of 12 years.
- 2nd. That the person has not before been successfully re-vaccinated, and
- 3rd. That there are no circumstances present which would render the operation undesirable.

## REPORT BOOK AND RETURNS.

xiii. He shall submit to the committee at each ordinary meeting his report book (Form I), in which he shall enter the time of his arrival at and departure from the dispensary on each of the days appointed for his attendance thereat, and also any matter which he may deem it necessary to bring under the notice of the committee, who will take into their consideration any entry which shall have been made therein since the last meeting.

xiv. If there be within his district a bridewell or house of correction which he is required, by the 15th section of the said recited Act of the fifteenth year of the reign of Her Majesty, to attend, he shall submit to the committee at each ordinary meeting, in the Form K hereto annexed, an account of any medicines supplied to prisoners and inmates in such bridewell or house of correction.

xv. He shall forward a return, in the annexed form L, to the Local Government Board for each of the quarters ending respectively the 31st day of March, the 30th day of June, the 30th day of September, and the 31st day of December, or for and at such other periods as may be from time to time directed by the Local Government Board; such returns shall be forwarded immediately after the close of the quarter, or other period for which they are directed to be made, and a copy thereof shall be laid before the committee of management at their next ordinary meeting.

xvi. In the event of the occurrence of cases of any dangerous contagious disease in the district under his charge in such numbers as to give reasonable ground to apprehend that it may become epidemic, he shall address a report of the facts to the Local Government Board, so as to enable them to call upon the Board of Guardians without delay to make such special provision as may be necessary to prevent or mitigate the evil.

xvii. He shall make such returns appertaining to the duties of his office as may be from time to time required of him by the Local Government Board, or by the committee of management or the Board of Guardians. He shall also keep a list of all instruments provided for dispensary use.

ARTICLE 22.—If a medical officer of a dispensary district be temporarily incapacitated by illness or other cause from performing his duties, he shall immediately, if practicable, communicate with the chairman or honorary secretary of the committee, and shall, if possible, recommend to the committee a medical practitioner qualified as hereinbefore provided (in Article 20) to perform his duties during such temporary incapacity. And on the fact of the medical officer's incapacity becoming known a special meeting of the committee shall be at once called, in accordance with Article 13 of this order, for the purpose of appointing a temporary substitute for the medical officer; and the committee shall report the circumstances of the case to the Board of Guardians, who, subject to the approval of the Local Government Board, may pay him a reasonable compensation for his services. And for the time during which such temporary substitute, appointed by the committee of management, shall act as medical officer, he shall perform all the duties of the medical officer, and shall duly enter up the books of the dispensary for such time before any remuneration that may be agreed upon be paid to him.

ARTICLE 23.—In case of the death or resignation of a medical officer, the committee of management shall, in like manner as provided in Article 22, make provision for the performance of the duties of medical officer by a person duly qualified, in accordance with Article 20, until the appointment of a medical officer shall have been duly made, in accordance with Articles 18 and 19, and approved by the Local Government Board.

#### BOARD OF GUARDIANS.

ARTICLE 24.—The Board of Guardians shall pay to each paid officer or temporary medical officer duly authorized and appointed for the service of the district such salary or remuneration as the Local Government Board may from time to time approve or direct.

ARTICLE 25.—The salary of each paid officer duly appointed for the service of the district shall be payable by the Board of Guardians quarterly (that is to say, to the 25th March, 24th June, 29th September, and 25th December respectively in each year), and proportionately for any part of a quarter for which he may have acted; and his salary shall be payable up to the day on which he ceases to hold his office or employment, and no longer.

ARTICLE 26.—The sum due to each medical officer for vaccination or re-vaccination shall be payable by the Board of Guardians on the expiration of twenty-eight days from the receipt by them of the report of the numbers vaccinated from the committee of management.

ARTICLE 27.—The Board of Guardians shall take care that the premises provided by them in pursuance of the 8th section of the said recited Act of the fifteenth year of Her Majesty shall be maintained in good order and condition, and that full and adequate provision is made for having fires regularly maintained in them during such periods of the year and on such days of the week as the medical officer may consider necessary for the proper preservation of the medicines.

ARTICLE 28.—The Board of Guardians shall on receipt of the estimates of the requirements of each dispensary in the union from time to time and the requisition of the committee of management thereon, or of the medical officer in the case hereinbefore provided for, cause the necessary supplies to be immediately furnished for the use of such dispensary, and shall at the same time cause a duplicate copy of the invoice received from the contractor on each

occasion to be forwarded to the medical officer, to be by him filed and preserved for reference at the dispensary.

ARTICLE 29.—In making contracts for the supply of drugs, medicines, and medical and surgical appliances for the use of a dispensary in any union in Ireland, the Board of Guardians of such union shall adopt and make use of the Form of Contract hereinafter set forth. And the person or persons so contracting shall be required to enter, with two sureties who may be approved by the Board of Guardians, into a bond, according to the Form of Bond annexed to the said Form of Contract, in such penal sum as the Board of Guardians shall think fit, conditioned for the due performance of the contract.

FORM OF CONTRACT AND BOND hereinafter referred to.

Contract for Supplies of Drugs, Medicines, and Medical and Surgical Appliances, to be delivered from the            day of            to the            day of           

MEMORANDUM OF AGREEMENT, made the            day of           , one thousand eight hundred and           , between            of the one part, and the GUARDIANS of the Poor of the            Union of the other part.

It is hereby agreed by and between the said parties hereto; and the said do           , in consideration of the payments to be made to           , as hereinafter mentioned, hereby contract with the Guardians of the Poor of the            Union, that            the said            shall and will from the            day of            until the            day of            next, inclusive, serve, supply, and deliver, or cause to be delivered, free of all expense, at            in the said Union, at such times and in such manner as the said Guardians, or their Clerk, or other officer of the said Union duly authorized by them, shall from time to time direct, the articles hereinafter mentioned and described in such quantities as shall from time to time be required by the said Guardians, and at and after such rates or prices as in the list hereinafter enumerating the said articles, are set forth:

And they, the said Guardians of the Poor of the            Union aforesaid, do hereby agree, that in case the said            shall well and truly serve, supply, and deliver the articles aforesaid, upon the terms and in manner aforesaid, according to            said agreement, they, the said Guardians of the Poor of the            Union, shall and will well and truly pay or cause to be paid to the said            within            days after each and every such delivery during said term, at the rates and prices aforesaid, for such quantity of the said articles as shall have been ordered, served, supplied, and delivered during said period of            and of which a bill of particulars shall have been sent at the time of the delivery of said articles. Provided always, and it is hereby expressly declared and agreed, and particularly by and on the part of the said            that in case any such article or articles as shall or may from time to time be supplied or delivered under the provisions hereof, shall not be considered by the said Guardians in every respect of good quality, and of the quality and sort contracted for, or in exact conformity with the patterns or samples exhibited by or to the said Guardians, then and in any such case such questionable article or articles shall and may be submitted and referred to some one person, to be named by the Local Government Board for Ireland, whose decision in relation thereto it is hereby agreed shall be final and conclusive upon the parties hereto respectively. And it is hereby further agreed that in the event of any article or articles being found and declared by the person so to be named by said Local Government Board as such referee not to be in every respect of good quality, or not to be of the quality and sort contracted for, then that the said            shall and will thereupon take back such rejected article or articles, and shall and will replace the same with other article or articles of proper and sufficient quality, according to the true intent and meaning hereof, and shall bear the extra cost of any such articles as the Guardians shall have been obliged, through such default, to purchase. And it is hereby further expressly agreed, and particularly by and on the part of the said            that in case such articles as are hereby contracted for, or any of them, shall not be duly served, supplied, and delivered by            when and as directed by the said Guardians or their clerk, or other officer duly authorized by them, or in case such article or articles as shall or may be found and decided by such referee as aforesaid

not to be in every respect of good quality or of the sort contracted for, shall not have been so taken away and replaced by the said \_\_\_\_\_ as hereinbefore provided, or in case such article or articles, or any of them shall be deficient in the weight, size, measure, or quantity, stated and charged for in such bill of particulars, or if the same shall be delivered without such bill of particulars, they, the said Guardians or their Clerk, or other officer so authorized by them, shall be at liberty to return the same at the expense of the said contractor, or give notice for the same to be sent for and fetched away by \_\_\_\_\_; and that in every such case the said Guardians or their Clerk, or other officer so authorized by them as aforesaid, may purchase a fresh supply of such articles, or of such other articles in lieu thereof, as the said Guardians or their Clerk, or other officer so authorized as aforesaid, shall think fit, or employ any other person or persons to furnish a fresh supply of such first-mentioned articles or of such other articles in lieu thereof as aforesaid, in such a manner as may be required during the period of the said contract, or any part of such period in the place of the said \_\_\_\_\_. And it is hereby further agreed that in case such first-mentioned articles shall not be duly served, supplied, and delivered in such quantities as shall from time to time be required by the said Guardians, then in every such case, and as often as it shall so happen, the said Guardians or their Clerk, or other officer so authorized as aforesaid, may purchase from any other person or persons other than \_\_\_\_\_ such a supply of the said first-mentioned articles as shall be necessary to complete the quantity required, or to purchase and provide such quantity or quantities of any other article or articles directed by the said Guardians to be used instead of the said first-mentioned articles, as shall be considered necessary by the said Guardians to supply such deficiency, and that in any and every of such cases the said \_\_\_\_\_ executors and administrators shall bear and make good all charges and expenses of such articles so to be provided over and above the price at which such first-mentioned articles are hereinbefore contracted to be supplied and delivered by the said \_\_\_\_\_. And also that the said Guardians of the Poor of the \_\_\_\_\_ Union may retain and apply any sum of money which may be due to the said \_\_\_\_\_ under and by virtue of this agreement, at the time of any failure in the performance hereof, to the payment of such charges and expenses as the said Guardians may incur or be put to by reason thereof. And that, notwithstanding the agreement hereinbefore contained for making good the articles which shall not be served, supplied, and delivered according to the terms hereinbefore agreed on and in pursuance of this contract, the said Guardians of the Poor of the \_\_\_\_\_ Union may put in suit the bond to be given for the performance of this contract, of even date herewith, against the said \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_ sureties, their and each of their executors or administrators.

## LIST HEREINBEFORE REFERRED TO.

Articles.	Rates or Prices.

As witness the seal of the said Guardians of the Poor of the \_\_\_\_\_ Union,  
and the hand of the said \_\_\_\_\_, the day and year first hereinbefore written.

(Bond.)

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS, that We, \_\_\_\_\_, are jointly and severally held and firmly bound to the Guardians of the Poor of the \_\_\_\_\_ Union in the sum of \_\_\_\_\_ of good and lawful money of the United Kingdom of \_\_\_\_\_ D

Great Britain and Ireland, to be paid to the said Guardians of the Poor of the Union, or their certain Attorney, Successors, or Assigns, for which payment to be well and faithfully made, we bind ourselves jointly, and each of us bindeth himself severally, our and each and every of our Heirs, Executors, and Administrators, and every of them firmly, by these Presents, sealed with our Seals, and dated this day of in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and

WHEREAS, by a certain contract or agreement, bearing even date with this obligation, and contained on the first two sides of this sheet, and made between the above-bounden of the one part, and the above-named Guardians of the Poor of the Union of the other part, the said hath contracted with the said Guardians of the Poor of the Union aforesaid, to serve, supply, and deliver free of all expense, at in the said Union, from the day of to the day of then next inclusive, such quantity of the several articles therein specified as shall be required, of such quality, at such times, and after the rate and price, and subject to the terms, provisions, and stipulations as in the said contract or agreement are particularly mentioned and set forth, and as on reference thereto will more fully appear.

NOW THE COVENANTS of this obligation is such that if the above-bounden Executors or Administrators do and shall well and truly perform, fulfil, and keep all and every the covenants, clauses, provisions, terms, and stipulations in the said recited contract or agreement mentioned or contained, and on

and their part to be observed, performed, fulfilled, and kept according to the true purport, intent, and meaning thereof, then this bond or obligation shall be void, or else shall be and remain in full force and virtue.

Signed, sealed, and delivered by the	}	(Seal.)
above-bounden		
presence of		(Seal.)
		(Seal.)

ARTICLE 30.—The Board of Guardians shall from time to time as may be necessary, cause to be provided a sufficient supply of books, stationery, and forms prescribed by this or any other Order under the seal of the Local Government Board, and all other requisites, for the use of each committee of management; and shall also cause a sufficient number of check books of medical relief tickets, according to the annexed Forms E 1 and E 2, to be provided, and cause a sufficient supply of such check books to be furnished to each member of every dispensary committee in the union, and to each relieving officer and warden therein.

ARTICLE 31.—The Board of Guardians shall include in their half-yearly accounts of expenditure, all expenses incurred for the service of each dispensary district in the union, for the half-year, charging the same to the several electoral divisions comprised in the district, according to the net annual value of the rateable property in each division, as set forth in the last preceding rate for the relief of the poor.

ARTICLE 32.—Immediately after the completion of the half-yearly accounts for the audit thereof by the auditor of the union, the Board of Guardians shall cause their clerk to furnish to the committee of each dispensary district, previously to such audit, a statement of all items of expenses incurred for the district which shall have been included in the half-year's accounts; and such statement shall be made in such Form as may be directed or approved by the Local Government Board.

[SCHEDULE.]



**FORMS REFERRED TO IN THIS ORDER FOR USE BY  
CLERKS OF UNIONS.**

**FORM No. 1.**

\_\_\_\_\_ Union,

Annual Return of Committees of Management of Dispensary Districts in the  
\_\_\_\_\_ Union.

Name of each Dispensary District.	Number of Members of whom the Committee is to consist, as declared by Order of the Local Govern- ment Board.	Guardians who are Members of the Committee for each District, in pursuance of § 7 of 14 & 15 Vic., c. 68.			Ratepayers elected by the Board of Guardians to be Members of the Committee for each District.		
		Name.	Resi- dence.	Name of the Electoral Division in which Residence is situated.	Name.	Resi- dence.	Name of the Electoral Division in which Residence is situated.

Signature,

Clerk of \_\_\_\_\_ Union,

Date, \_\_\_\_\_ of \_\_\_\_\_ 18

**FORM No. 2.**

\_\_\_\_\_ Union.

\_\_\_\_\_ Dispensary District.

Return of [a Member or Members] of the Committee of Management of the  
\_\_\_\_\_ Dispensary District, in the \_\_\_\_\_ Union, to supply [a vacancy  
or vacancies].

Name of [Ratepayer or Rate- payers] elected by Board of Guardians.	Residence (stating also the name of the Electoral Division in which it is situated.)

Signature,

Clerk of \_\_\_\_\_ Union,

Date, \_\_\_\_\_ of \_\_\_\_\_ 18



## FORM No. 3.

Notice to be given by the Clerk of the Union to each Member of every Dispensary Committee on the Annual Completion of the Committees of Management of Dispensary Districts.

\_\_\_\_\_ Union.

\_\_\_\_\_ Dispensary District.

SIR,—Notice is hereby given to you that in pursuance of the provisions of § 7 of the Act 14 & 15 Vic., c. 68, you\* \_\_\_\_\_ a Member of the Committee of Management of the \_\_\_\_\_ Dispensary District, in the above Union; and the next meeting of the said Committee is to be held at the Dispensary at \_\_\_\_\_ on \_\_\_\_\_ day, the \_\_\_\_\_ of \_\_\_\_\_ 18\_\_\_\_, at the hour of \_\_\_\_\_ o'clock in the \_\_\_\_\_ noon.

Check Books containing Tickets for Medical Relief, in the prescribed Forms, [are enclosed herewith; or if the party has been previously appointed and supplied, can be obtained from me from time to time when those already issued to you have been used].

Signed this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 18\_\_\_\_.  
\_\_\_\_\_ Clerk of \_\_\_\_\_ Union.

To \_\_\_\_\_ of \_\_\_\_\_

## FORM No. 4.

Notice to be given to any Ratepayer elected by the Board of Guardians to supply a vacancy in a Committee of Management of any Dispensary District.

\_\_\_\_\_ Union.

\_\_\_\_\_ Dispensary District.

SIR,—Notice is hereby given to you that a Vacancy having occurred in the Committee of Management of the \_\_\_\_\_ Dispensary District, in the above Union, you have been elected by the Board of Guardians of the Union to be a Member of the Committee, to supply such Vacancy; and the next meeting of the Committee is to be held at the Dispensary at \_\_\_\_\_ on \_\_\_\_\_ day, the \_\_\_\_\_ of \_\_\_\_\_ 18\_\_\_\_, at the hour of \_\_\_\_\_ o'clock in the \_\_\_\_\_ noon.

Check Books containing Tickets for Medical Relief, in the prescribed Forms [are enclosed herewith; or if the party has been already supplied, can be obtained from me from time to time when those already issued to you have been used].

Signed this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 18\_\_\_\_.  
\_\_\_\_\_ Clerk of \_\_\_\_\_ Union.

To \_\_\_\_\_ of \_\_\_\_\_

## FORM No. 5.

\_\_\_\_\_ Union.

\_\_\_\_\_ Dispensary District.

List of Members of the Committee of Management of the \_\_\_\_\_ Dispensary District, in \_\_\_\_\_ Union, and of the Relieving Officers and Wardens acting for each Electoral Division included in such District.

Members of Committee of Management of the District.		Relieving Officers acting for any Electoral Division in the District.		Wardens acting for any Electoral Division in the District.	
Name.	Residence.	Name.	Residence.	Name.	Residence.

Signature,

Clerk of \_\_\_\_\_ Union.

Date, \_\_\_\_\_ of \_\_\_\_\_ 18\_\_\_\_.

To \_\_\_\_\_  
Medical Officer  
of \_\_\_\_\_ Dispensary District.

\* This blank is to be filled by the Clerk with the word "are," where this Notice is addressed to any Guardian who as such is entitled to be a Member of the Committee under § 7. In other cases (i.e., where the Notice is addressed to a Ratepayer elected by the Board of Guardians), the blank should be filled with the words "have been elected by the Board of Guardians of the above Union."

## FORM No. 6.

Notice to be transmitted by Clerk of Union to a Member of a Dispensary Committee, or Warden, on the expiration of his Term of Office, in case he be not re-appointed.

\_\_\_\_\_ Union.

\_\_\_\_\_ Dispensary District,

\_\_\_\_\_ of \_\_\_\_\_, 18

Sir,—I am directed by the Board of Guardians of the \_\_\_\_\_ Union to apprise you that the period for which you were appointed a [Member of the Committee of Management or Warden, as case may be], for the \_\_\_\_\_ Dispensary District, having expired, your power to issue Tickets for Medical Relief in that District in pursuance of the provisions of the Medical Charities Act, has ceased; and the Medical Officer of the District is not authorized by the Act to afford Medical Relief upon any Tickets hereafter issued by you, unless and until you shall be re-appointed. And you are requested to be good enough to return to the Board of Guardians, for the use of the Persons authorized to issue such Tickets, any blank Forms of Medical Relief Tickets in the Check Books, Forms E 1 and E 2, which now remain in your hands unused.

By order of the Board of Guardians,

To \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ Clerk of Union.

Notice to be transmitted by Clerk of Union to a Relieving Officer, on the expiration of his Term of Office.

\_\_\_\_\_ Union.

\_\_\_\_\_ Dispensary District,

\_\_\_\_\_ of \_\_\_\_\_, 18

Sir,—I am directed by the Board of Guardians of the \_\_\_\_\_ Union to apprise you that your power to issue Tickets for Medical Relief in the \_\_\_\_\_ Dispensary District, in pursuance of the provisions of the Medical Charities Act, has ceased; and the Medical Officer of the District is not authorized by the Act to afford Medical Relief upon any Tickets hereafter issued by you. And you are requested to be good enough to return to the Board of Guardians, for the use of the persons authorized to issue such Tickets, any blank Forms of Medical Relief Tickets in the Check Books, Forms E 1 and E 2, which now remain in your hands unused.

By order of the Board of Guardians,

To \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ Clerk of Union

FORMS referred to in this ORDER for use by OFFICERS of DISPENSARY DISTRICTS.

## FORM A 1.

NOTICE of the ELECTION of a CHAIRMAN and VICE-CHAIRMAN.

To A.B., Member of the Committee of Management for \_\_\_\_\_ Dispensary District, \_\_\_\_\_ Union.

Sir,—You are hereby informed that the Election of a Chairman and Vice-Chairman of the Committee of Management for the ensuing year, will take place at the Meeting of the Committee of Management, to be held on \_\_\_\_\_ day, \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 18, at \_\_\_\_\_ o'clock.

Dated, \_\_\_\_\_ of \_\_\_\_\_, 18

\_\_\_\_\_ Clerk of the Union.

## FORM A 2.

Requisition for an extraordinary Meeting of the Committee of Management of Dispensary District.

To the [Hon. Secretary or Hon. Assistant Secretary] of the Committee of Management of \_\_\_\_\_ Dispensary District, in \_\_\_\_\_ Union.

We, the undersigned, being two Members of the Committee of Management of the above Dispensary District do hereby require an Extraordinary Meeting of the Committee of the said District, to be summoned, to be held at; the

Dispensary at \_\_\_\_\_, on \_\_\_\_\_ day, the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 18  
at \_\_\_\_\_ o'clock, in the \_\_\_\_\_ noon, to take into consideration [set out  
the subject for consideration].

Dated this \_\_\_\_\_ of \_\_\_\_\_ 18 \_\_\_\_\_,  
\_\_\_\_\_ } Members  
\_\_\_\_\_ } of Committee  
\_\_\_\_\_ } of Management.

## FORM B.

Notice to be given by the *Secretary or Assistant Secretary*\* convening an Extraordinary Meeting of Committee of Management.

To A.B., Member of the Committee of Management of the \_\_\_\_\_ Dispensary District in \_\_\_\_\_ Union.

SIR,—C.D. and E.F., two Members of the Committee of Management of the above Dispensary District, have required\* that an Extraordinary Meeting of the said Committee should be summoned, to be\* held at the Dispensary at \_\_\_\_\_, on \_\_\_\_\_ day, the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 18, at \_\_\_\_\_ o'clock in the \_\_\_\_\_ noon, to take into consideration [set out the subject as in requisition for the meeting]; and you are hereby requested to attend such Meeting, at the above-named time and place.

\_\_\_\_\_ [Hon. Sec. or Hon. Asst. Sec.] of the Committee.\*

Dated this \_\_\_\_\_ of \_\_\_\_\_ 18 \_\_\_\_\_.

## FORM C.

Notice of change of Time or Place of Meeting of Committee of Management.  
To A.B., Member of the Committee of Management of the \_\_\_\_\_ Dispensary District, in \_\_\_\_\_ Union.

SIR,—You are hereby informed that the next Ordinary Meeting of the Committee of Management of the \_\_\_\_\_ Dispensary District, in \_\_\_\_\_ Union, will take place at the Dispensary at \_\_\_\_\_, on \_\_\_\_\_ day, the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 18, at \_\_\_\_\_ o'clock in the \_\_\_\_\_ noon; and it has been determined at a Meeting of the Committee, held on the \_\_\_\_\_ instant, that the Ordinary Meetings of the Committee shall in future be held on the \_\_\_\_\_ day in each \_\_\_\_\_, at the hour of \_\_\_\_\_ in the \_\_\_\_\_ noon, at the same place [or at the Dispensary at \_\_\_\_\_, as the case may be].

\_\_\_\_\_ [Hon. Sec. or Hon. Asst. Sec.] of the Committee.

Dated this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 18 \_\_\_\_\_.

## FORM D.

Notice of an Adjourned Meeting of Committee of Management.

To A.B., Member of the Committee of Management of the \_\_\_\_\_ Dispensary District in \_\_\_\_\_ Union.

SIR,—This is to give you notice that an Adjourned Meeting of the Committee of Management of the \_\_\_\_\_ Dispensary District, in \_\_\_\_\_ Union, will be held at the Dispensary at \_\_\_\_\_, on \_\_\_\_\_ day, the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 18, to take into consideration [set out the subject for consideration]; which Meeting you are hereby requested to attend.

\_\_\_\_\_ [Hon. Sec. or Hon. Asst. Sec.] of the Committee.

Dated this \_\_\_\_\_ of \_\_\_\_\_ 18 \_\_\_\_\_.

\* The words printed in Italics in this Form of Notice(B), may be varied so as to adapt the form for use where an Extraordinary Meeting is called without a previous requisition, as provided for in Article 11 of the Regulations. In such case the Notice may commence as follows:—"We, the Chairman [or Vice-Chairman] and the Honorary Secretary [or Assistant Secretary] of the Committee of Management of the above Dispensary District, deem it necessary that an Extraordinary Meeting of the said Committee should be held at \_\_\_\_\_," &c., as in the rest of the above form of Notice, which should in this case be signed by the two Officers convening the Meeting. Where the Meeting is convened in consequence of a requirement of the Local Government Board, the Notice may commence thus:—"The Local Government Board for Ireland have required," &c., as above; and the Notice in this case should be signed by the Officer convening the Meeting accordingly.

## FORMS E 1 &amp; 2.—MEDICAL RELIEF TICKET CHECK BOOKS.

FORM E 1.

## TICKET FOR ATTENDANCE AT DISPENSARY.

To Dr.

Dispensary District,

in

Union.

Medical Officer of

Sir,

You are hereby required to afford Medical Advice and any necessary

Medicine to

aged

residing at

in the above Dispensary District, who

is by occupation a

Dated this

day of

18

(Signed)

Member of Dispensary Committee, Relieving  
Officer, or Warden, as the case may be.

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Dated this

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(Signed)

Member of Dispensary Committee, Relieving  
Officer, or Warden, as the case may be.

Number in Hospital

## FORMS E 1 &amp; 2.—MEDICAL RELIEF TICKET CHECK BOOKS—continued.

FORM E 2.

TICKET FOR ATTENDANCE AT THE PATIENT'S HOME.

To Dr. \_\_\_\_\_  
 Dispensary District,  
 Union, \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_, Medical Officer of  
 \_\_\_\_\_ in \_\_\_\_\_

Sir,

You are hereby required to visit and afford Medical Advice and any necessary Medicine to \_\_\_\_\_, aged \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_, in the above Dispensary District, who is by occupation a \_\_\_\_\_

Dated this \_\_\_\_\_

day of \_\_\_\_\_

18 \_\_\_\_\_

(Signed),

Member of Dispensary Committee, Relieving  
 Officer, or Warden, as the case may be.

FORM E 2.

TICKET FOR ATTENDANCE AT THE PATIENT'S HOME.

To Dr. \_\_\_\_\_  
 Dispensary District,  
 Union, \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_, Medical Officer of  
 \_\_\_\_\_ in \_\_\_\_\_

Sir,

You are hereby required to visit and afford Medical Advice and any necessary Medicine to \_\_\_\_\_, aged \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_, in the above Dispensary District, who is by occupation a \_\_\_\_\_

Dated this \_\_\_\_\_

day of \_\_\_\_\_

18 \_\_\_\_\_

(Signed),

Member of Dispensary Committee, Relieving  
 Officer, or Warden, as the case may be.

[SEE THE BACK OF THIS TICKET FOR INSTRUCTIONS AS TO PRESENTING IT.]

## Directions for Printing Medical Relief Tickets.

Blank Tickets for Medical Relief are to be printed in the Forms E 1 and E 2 in counterparts, and bound up in books; and the name of the Medical Officer, and of the Dispensary District and Union can be printed in the Tickets for each District, so as to reduce, as far as possible, the number of particulars to be written by the person filling up and issuing the Tickets.

Form E 1, which is the form of Ticket to be issued for Medical Relief to be given on the party attending at the Dispensary, is to be printed in black ink. Form E 2, which is the form of Ticket to be issued where it is necessary that the Medical Officer should visit the Patient at his home, is, for the sake of distinction and convenience, to be printed in red ink.

On the back of the Ticket, Form E 2, the following memorandum is to be printed:—"This Ticket may be presented to the Medical Officer at the Dispensary, within the hours of his attendance there; or may be presented to him, or left for him, at his residence; or may be presented to him personally anywhere. The Ticket should be presented as soon after it has been obtained as practicable, with such information as can be given regarding the nature of the case."

Directions for filling up Medical Relief Tickets:—(to be printed on the first leaf of each Check Book).

The Ticket and counterpart are both to be filled up by the person authorized to issue the Ticket; one part to be retained by the person issuing the Ticket and the other to be detached from the book and given to the applicant, for presentation to the Medical Officer.

Care should be taken in the issue of the Tickets accordingly; and Tickets should be issued in the Form E 2, for visiting at the residence of the applicant, in cases of necessity only, and with all available information as to the nature of the case.

The Ticket, in either form, is to be issued for the Dispensary District in which the applicant is resident at the time; and care should be taken to fill up the Ticket and apprise the applicant accordingly, as the Medical Officer of each Dispensary District is only bound to attend "any poor person resident therein."

The Christian Name and Surname of the applicant should be inserted in the Ticket in full; and such description of his place of abode (as, Name of Townland, and, where necessary, the Parish also; or, in the case of Cities and Towns, the Street, Place, or Row, &c., and number of House,) should be given, as will be sufficient for identification and for registration; and with this view, the age and occupation of the applicant should also be stated wherever practicable. Any further observation which the Grantor of the Ticket may desire to make for the information of the Medical Officer should be written on the front of the Ticket.

## FORM F.

## MEDICAL RELIEF REGISTER.

— Dispensary District, in the — Union.

Number of Case.	Date of presentation of Ticket.	Name of Patient.	Residence of Patient.	Age.	Disease.	Dates of Attendance.		Prescriptions and Treatment at Date in preceding Columns.	Result:—(As Recovered, Cured, Died, Ticket Cancelled by Committee, &c.)	Observations.
						At Dispensary.	At Patient's Home.			
Col. 1.	2.	3.	4.	5.	6.	7.	8.	9.	10.	11.

Directions for filling up the Medical Relief Register:—(to be printed at the beginning of each Book).

Column 1.—The series of numbers is to run from the beginning to the end of the year; and a fresh series is to be commenced on the 1st January in each year, beginning with the *first new case* on or after that day. The same patient is not to have a second number, except in the event of a second or subsequent illness within the year, in which event he should, on presentation of a fresh ticket, be registered again with a fresh number, as a new case, reference being also made, in the column for observations, to his previous number.

Column 2.—The date on which the ticket is presented to the Medical Officer is to be inserted in column 2.

Columns 3, 4, 5, and 6.—The Christian name and surname of the patient are to be inserted in full in column 3; the residence of the patient in column 4; the age of the patient, as well as can be ascertained, in column 5; and the disease for which the patient is treated in column 6.

Columns 7 and 8.—The date of each attendance from the commencement to the termination of the case is to be entered in these columns; if the attendance is at the dispensary, in column 7; if at the patient's home, in column 8.

Column 9.—Should contain a record of the treatment of each case. The date of each attendance, as entered in column 7 or 8, should be entered in this column also; with a description of the prescription or treatment at each date. If in any case the attendances and prescriptions should be too numerous to admit of their all being entered in the space provided for the purpose, a new entry of the case may be made at a subsequent page of the book, but not with a new number, a reference being made in the first entry to the page of the book at which the case is continued.

Column 10.—Is to contain a statement of the result of the case, as "Relieved," "Cured," "Died," "Ticket Cancelled by Committee," and in the latter case the date of the meeting at which the ticket was cancelled should be entered, and the chairman of the day should place his signature or initials against the entry.

Column 11.—This column is intended for any other particulars, directions, or explanation as to any case which the Medical Officer or the Chairman of the Committee may think it desirable to insert.

A sufficient number of leaves (with the letters of the alphabet marked on spaces cut at the outer edge), is bound up with the register to serve as an index.

# FORM G.

## VACCINATION REGISTER.

County of \_\_\_\_\_ Union of \_\_\_\_\_ District of \_\_\_\_\_

Register of cases of successful Vaccination and Re-vaccination.

No.	Name of Person Successfully Vaccinated.	Name of Person Successfully Re-Vaccinated.	Age at time of Vaccination.	Date of first Vaccination.	Date of Successful Vaccination.	Residence at time of Vaccination.	If a Child, Name and Residence of Father, Mother, or Person in charge.	Number of Entry of Child's Birth in the Register of Births.	Signature of Medical Officer and Date of Entry.

Instructions for Vaccination Register:—(to be printed at the beginning of each Book).

The series of numbers in column 1 is to run from the beginning to the end of the year, and a fresh series of numbers is to be commenced on the 1st January in each year.

The column for number of entry of child's birth, in the register of births, need not be filled up unless the Medical Officer is also Registrar of Births and Deaths, nor in cases where the person vaccinated was born before the 1st January, 1864.

The register of vaccination is to be laid before the committee at each ordinary meeting.

## FORM H.

FORM of REPORT of the MEDICAL OFFICER in pursuance of Section 3 of the Act 21 & 22 Vic., c. 64, of the NUMBER of PERSONS SUCCESSFULLY VACCINATED by him in each year.

Union.

Dispensary District.

I hereby certify that I have, between the dates — and —, successfully vaccinated — persons, all of whom are resident in — Dispensary District; that I duly inspected them at the times required by the regulations of the Local Government Board, and that I have entered all the required particulars in the Vaccination Register (Form G).

(Signature) —

Medical Officer of — Dispensary District.

Date, —, 18

## FORM I.

## MEDICAL OFFICER'S REPORT BOOK.

Union.

Dispensary District.

Date.	Time of Arrival at the Dispensary.	Time of Departure from the Dispensary.	Report on any Matter requiring Attention from the Committee.

## FORM K.

## BRIDEWELL ACCOUNT.

Union.

Dispensary District.

Medical Officer's Account of Medicines supplied to Prisoners and Inmates in — Bridewell [or House of Correction, as the case may be], in the above Dispensary District, under § 15 of 14 & 15 Vic., c. 68.

Number of Prisoners and Inmates attended by Medical Officer of Dispensary.				Medicines Supplied.	Quantities thereof.	Dates of Supply of Medicines.
Dates of Medical Officer's Attendance.	Males.	Females.	Total.			
Column 1.	2.	3.	4.	5.	6.	7.
18—						



## FORM L.

## MEDICAL OFFICER'S RETURN.

Union \_\_\_\_\_ Dispensary District \_\_\_\_\_  
 Medical Officer's Return for the quarter ended \_\_\_\_\_ 18 \_\_\_\_

Number of New Cases Attended and Registered during the above period.			No. of Tickets cancelled by the Committee during the above period, under § 9 of 14 & 15 Vic., c. 66.	No. of Primary Vaccinations during the above period.	No. of Persons Re-vaccinated during the above period.	No. of Cases of Dangerous Lamentations certified.	No. of New Cases during the above period, attended in Brixwell or House of Correction, under 14 & 15 Vic., c. 66, § 15 (if any in District)	1st month.	2nd do.	3rd do.	Total.	Deaths.	Small-pox.	Fever.	Any other Disease prevalent, stating Name of Disease and No. of Cases.
On Dispensary Tickets (Form E 1).	On Volving Tickets (Form E 3).	Total.													
Col. 1.	2.	3.	4.	5.	6.	7.	8.								
Number of Medical Officers for the District? . . . Number of Dispensary Stations for the District? . . . Dispensary Days and Hours of Attendance at each Dispensary Station in the District? . . . Days fixed for Ordinary Meetings of the Committee? . . .															

## QUESTIONS to be answered by the MEDICAL OFFICER.

## ANSWERS.

- Whether the medicines procured are of good quality? and whether any defect in the quality of the medicines or otherwise has been reported in the Medical Officer's Report Book (Form I)?
- Whether a sufficient supply of vaccine lymph is kept up at the dispensary? And whether it is procured from the Vaccine Department of the Local Government Board, Dublin, or how otherwise?
- Whether there has been any increase or diminution of vaccination as compared with the corresponding quarter of last year? If the amount of vaccination performed be not in proportion to the population, probable cause thereof, or of any diminution?
- Whether the dispensary arrangements and provisions as to vaccination are duly notified by public notices (Form N), posted in the district, in accordance with Article 4 of the Dispensary Rules, or in what manner?
- Whether a notice board or inscription (Form O), is affixed on the exterior of each dispensary, in accordance with Article 4 of the Dispensary Rules, and whether such notice contains the particulars directed to be so affixed, and is kept in a legible state?
- Has the report (Form P), been duly made and transmitted to the Board of Guardians? To what date is it made up?

(Signature) \_\_\_\_\_ Medical Officer.

Date \_\_\_\_\_

Any further observations which the medical officer may desire to make can be added here.

## FORMS M 1 &amp; 2.

## ESTIMATE AND REQUISITION FOR MEDICINES, &amp;c.

## FORM M 1.—Estimate of medicines, &amp;c., required.

\_\_\_\_\_ Union. \_\_\_\_\_ Dispensary District.

Medicines or Articles required	Remaining on Hand	Quantity now required.

(Signature) \_\_\_\_\_

Medical Officer of \_\_\_\_\_ Dispensary.

Approved by the Committee of Management of the \_\_\_\_\_ Dispensary District, this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 18

(Signature) \_\_\_\_\_ Presiding Chairman of Committee.

## FORM M 2.—Requisition transmitting preceding estimate, or a copy thereof, to the Board of Guardians.

\_\_\_\_\_ UNION. \_\_\_\_\_ DISPENSARY DISTRICT.

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SIR,—By direction of the Committee of Management of the above dispensary district, I herewith forward to be laid before the Board of Guardians of the

Union, an estimate of medicines, &c. required for the use of the said dispensary district; and am to request that the Board of Guardians will cause the same to be immediately supplied to the medical officer of the said dispensary district, for the dispensary situate at \_\_\_\_\_

By order of the Committee,

\_\_\_\_\_ {Hon. Secretary, or  
{Hon. Assist. Secretary.

To the Clerk of the Board of Guardians  
of \_\_\_\_\_ Union.

## FORM N.

## NOTICE FOR POSTING UP AT EACH DISPENSARY AND OTHER PLACES IN DISPENSARY DISTRICTS.

## NOTICE.

\_\_\_\_\_ UNION.

\_\_\_\_\_ DISPENSARY DISTRICT, consisting of the Electoral Divisions of \_\_\_\_\_ in the above Union.

[It is desirable that such description, by parishes or otherwise, should be given of the district as will enable the poor to understand what localities are included in it.]

Dispensary situate at \_\_\_\_\_ (a sufficient description of the locality to be given.)

Times of attendance of the medical officer at the dispensary, every \_\_\_\_\_ from \_\_\_\_\_ o'clock to \_\_\_\_\_ o'clock. Tickets for medical relief on attendance of the party at the dispensary must be presented at the dispensary within the hours and on the days here named.

Medical officer, Dr. \_\_\_\_\_, of \_\_\_\_\_, (his place of residence to be stated).

Printing tickets for the attendance of the medical officer at the patient's

house, may be presented to the medical officer, at the dispensary, or may be presented to him, or left for him at his residence, or may be presented to him personally anywhere. Tickets presented at the dispensary should be presented between the hours above named, and tickets presented at the medical officer's residence or elsewhere, should be presented as early in the day as possible.

The committee of management of the dispensary district meet at the dispensary situate at \_\_\_\_\_ on every \_\_\_\_\_ at \_\_\_\_\_ o'clock in the \_\_\_\_\_ noon [*state ordinary day and hour of meeting.*]

The following are the persons authorized to issue tickets for medical relief in the above district:

Committee of management: (*state names and places of residence.*) Wardens: (*state names and places of residence.*) Relieving officers: (*state names and places of residence.*)

The medical officer is not bound to attend or afford medical relief to any poor person without a ticket. But vaccination is performed without a ticket being required.

#### VACCINATION.

Notice is also given, that in pursuance of the provisions of the Act to make further provision for the practice of vaccination in Ireland (21 and 22 Vic., cap. 64), the above named dispensary district has been divided into the under-mentioned districts, for the purpose of vaccination, and that the medical officer of the said dispensary district will attend on the days and hours and at the places hereunder mentioned, for the purpose of vaccinating, gratuitously, all persons resident in the dispensary district who may come to him for that purpose, or whom he may be requested to vaccinate, being fit subjects for vaccination.

Name of Vaccination District.	Names of Electoral Division or Divisions comprised in Vaccination District.	Places within the Vaccination District at which the Medical Officer will attend.	Days and Hours of Attendance.

Vaccination will also be performed gratuitously at the dispensary as heretofore, on any of the dispensary days, during the hours of attendance of the medical officer at the dispensary.

Every person undergoing vaccination should attend, or be brought, for examination of the arm upon the same day of the week following the day on which such person had been vaccinated, and on such other days as the medical officer may direct, in order to ensure the successful issue of the case.

All persons are hereby cautioned against the dangerous practice of inoculation; and poor persons are advised to present their children (if they have not been already successfully vaccinated), at the dispensary, for vaccination, as the best preservative against small-pox. By an Act of Parliament passed on the 23rd of July, 1840 (3 and 4 Vic., cap. 29), entitled "An Act to extend the practice of vaccination," the practice of inoculation with small-pox virus was made punishable by one month's imprisonment, and under a subsequent Act (31 and 32 Vic., c. 87), the period of imprisonment may be extended to six months. The following are the words of the 4th section of the last-mentioned Act:—

*Extract from 31 and 32 Vict., cap. 87.*

"§ 4. Any person who shall, after the passing of this Act produce or attempt to produce in any person, by inoculation with variolous matter, or by wilful exposure to variolous matter, or to any matter, article, or thing impregnated with variolous matter, or wilfully by any other means whatsoever produce the disease of small-pox in any person, shall be guilty of an offence, and shall be liable to be proceeded against summarily before two or more justices of the peace in petty sessions assembled; and upon conviction, to be imprisoned for any term not exceeding six months."

By order of the Committee of Management,

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\_\_\_\_\_ Honorary Secretary.

FORM O.

FORM FOR A BOARD OR INSCRIPTION TO BE CONSPICUOUSLY PLACED ON THE EXTERIOR OF EACH DISPENSARY.

\_\_\_\_\_ DISPENSARY.

Open on\* from to o'clock.

Vaccination gratis.

Medical officer, Dr. or Surgeon (*his name*), of (*his residence*).

FORM P.

\_\_\_\_\_ Union,

\_\_\_\_\_ Dispensary District.

Medical officer's report of children born in the district since the \_\_\_\_\_ and over three months of age, who do not appear to have been vaccinated.

No. on Register.	Name of Child.	Date of Birth.	Name and Residence of Parent or Person having the Care, Nurture, or Custody of the Child.	Date when Notice under the 8th Section of the Compulsory Vaccination Act was given.	Observations.

NOTE.—In any case in which the medical officer may be aware of the reason why the child has not been vaccinated, he should state it in the column for observations; and in any case in which a certificate has been given that the child is not in a fit state for vaccination, or is insusceptible of the vaccine disease, the fact should be stated.

Sealed with our Seal this Third day of November, in the year of Our Lord, One Thousand Eight Hundred and Eighty-five.

(Signed),

[Seal]

W. HART DYKE.  
HENRY ROBINSON.  
CHARLES CROKER-KING.  
GEORGE MORRIS.

CARNARVON.

I, HENRY HOWARD MOLYNEUX, Earl of Carnarvon, Lord Lieutenant-General and General Governor of Ireland, do hereby approve this Order.

By His Excellency's command,

R. G. C. HAMILTON.

\* Name the several days of the week determined upon by the committee for the purpose.

III.—ORDERS ISSUED UNDER THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT ACT, AND  
THE PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

## No. 1.—CHOLERA REGULATIONS.—(Rags from Spain.)

To all COAST-GUARDS and OFFICERS of CUSTOMS in IRELAND, to the  
BOARDS of GUARDIANS of UNIONS, severally acting as Sanitary  
Authorities on any part of the Coast of Ireland, to all Masters of  
Ships, and to all other persons whom it may concern :

WHEREAS Cholera is now prevalent in certain parts of Spain, and it  
is expedient that Regulations should be made with reference to Ships  
having on board bales of Rags from that country :

Now therefore we, the Local Government Board for Ireland, do,  
by this our Order, and in exercise of the power conferred on us by the  
Public Health (Ireland) Act, 1878, and every other power enabling us  
in this behalf, make the following regulations, and declare that they  
shall be enforced and executed by the several Authorities specified in the  
Schedule to our Order dated the sixteenth day of July, 1883 :

*Definitions.*

Art. 1.—In this Order—

The term "Ship" includes vessel or boat :

The term "Coast-guard" includes any person belonging to the Coast-  
guard having authority from the Lords Commissioners of the  
Admiralty :

The term "Officer of Customs" includes any person acting under the  
authority of the Commissioners of Customs :

The term "Master" includes the officer or person for the time being  
in charge or command of a ship :

The term "Sanitary Authority" means with respect to the seas, rivers,  
and waters within the limits described in column 1 of the Schedule  
annexed to the said Order of the 16th day of July, 1883, the  
Guardians of the Poor of the Unions named in column 2 of the said  
Schedule, opposite to the descriptions of the said limits respectively :

The term "Port" means a Port established for the purposes of the  
laws relating to the customs of the United Kingdom :

The term "Medical Officer of Health" includes any duly qualified  
Medical Practitioner appointed by a Sanitary Authority to act in the  
execution of the said Order of the 16th day of July, 1883 :

Art. 2.—From and after the date of this Order and until the  
First day of November next, no Rags from Spain shall be delivered  
overside, except for the purpose of export, nor landed in any port or  
place in Ireland.

Art. 3.—If any Rags shall be delivered overside or landed in contra-  
vention of this Order, they shall, unless forthwith exported, be destroyed  
by the person having control over the same, with such precautions as  
may be directed by the Medical Officer of Health of the Sanitary  
Authority within whose jurisdiction or district the same may be found.

Art. 4.—All Masters of vessels, Consignees, and other persons having  
control of any Rags prohibited under this Order from being delivered  
overside, except for the purpose of export, or landed, are required to  
obey these regulations.

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Art. 5.—It shall be the duty of the Sanitary Authority to take proceedings against Masters of ships, Consignees, or other persons having control over any Rags, who shall wilfully neglect or refuse to obey or carry out, or shall obstruct the execution of any of these regulations.

Given under our Hands and Seal of Office this Twenty-fifth day of June, in the year onethousand eight hundred and eighty-five.

(Signed),

HENRY ROBINSON,  
CHARLES CROKER-KING.

NOTICE.—The Public Health (Ireland) Act, 1878, provides by section 148 that any person wilfully neglecting, or refusing to obey or carry out, or obstructing the execution of any regulation made under that section, shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding *Fifty Pounds*.

NOTE.—This Order was renewed from time to time, namely on the 5th November, 30th December, 1885, and 25th of February, 1886.

No. 2.—ORDER applying the provisions of the GENERAL SANITARY ORDER, No. III., dated the 8th August, 1879, to the COOTEHILL URBAN SANITARY DISTRICT.

To the GOVERNING BODY of the TOWNS named in this Order; to the MEDICAL OFFICER of the Dispensary District comprised or partly comprised therein, and to all whom it may concern :

WHEREAS, by a General Order under our Seal, bearing date the 8th day of August, 1879, We, the Local Government Board for Ireland, did issue Rules and Regulations under the "Public Health (Ireland) Act, 1878," for the Sanitary organization of Urban Sanitary Districts, the said General Order being numbered and described as follows :—

"Sanitary Order No. III., relating to Urban Sanitary Districts."

AND WHEREAS, since the issue of the said General Order, We have issued a Provisional Order under our Seal for the constitution of the Town of Cootehill as an Urban Sanitary District, subject to all the Provisions of the "Public Health (Ireland) Act, 1878," affecting Urban Sanitary Districts, from and after the confirmation of the Order by Act of Parliament :

AND WHEREAS the said Provisional Order has been duly confirmed by Parliament.

AND WHEREAS it is expedient that the said General Order of the Eighth day of August, 1879, "Sanitary Order No. III., relating to Urban Sanitary Districts"—shall apply to and be in force in the Urban Sanitary District above named :

NOW THEREFORE, We do hereby order and direct that the said General Order shall apply to and be in force in the Urban Sanitary District above named, as fully and effectually as if the name of the said Urban Sanitary District had been inserted in the Schedule to the said General Order of the Eighth day of August, 1879.

Scaled with our Seal, this Seventeenth day of September, in the Year of Our Lord, One Thousand Eight Hundred and Eighty-five.

(Signed),

HENRY ROBINSON,  
CHARLES CROKER-KING,  
GEORGE MORRIS.

No.3.—ORDER ASSESSING EXPENSES in connexion with the INTERCEPTING HOSPITAL on TWIN ISLAND WEST, BELFAST UNION, for the accommodation of sea-borne cases of cholera or other dangerous infectious disease.

To the GUARDIANS of the POOR of the BELFAST UNION, being the Sanitary Authority with respect to the seas, rivers, and waters, of that part of the Port of Belfast, which is situate within the following limits, namely, Belfast Lough: and to the URBAN SANITARY AUTHORITIES of the Towns of Belfast and Holywood, being Urban Sanitary Districts abutting on the said part of the Port of Belfast.

WHEREAS, We, the Local Government Board for Ireland did, by an Order under our Seal, bearing date the Sixteenth day of July, 1883, prescribe the Board of Guardians of the Belfast Union to be the Sanitary Authority with respect to the seas, rivers, and waters of that part of the Port of Belfast which is situate within the limits described in Column 1 of the Schedule annexed to that Order, viz.:—Belfast Lough:

AND WHEREAS by the said Order we did further direct that all expenses which might be incurred by any Board of Guardians in carrying out the provisions of that Order should be defrayed out of a common fund to be contributed in such proportions as the Local Government Board for Ireland should from time to time order, by the Sanitary Authorities of the Urban and Rural Sanitary Districts, as defined by the Public Health (Ireland) Act, 1878, which, or any part of which, abut on the Port within which the provisions of that Order were to be enforced and executed by such Board of Guardians:

AND WHEREAS the Towns of Belfast and Holywood are Urban Sanitary Districts abutting on the above described part of the Port of Belfast:

AND WHEREAS the Board of Guardians of the Belfast Union, in carrying out the provisions of the said Order, have erected additional Buildings and incurred other expenses in connexion with the Intercepting Hospital on Twin Island West, which has been provided for the reception and treatment of sea-borne cases of Cholera, or other dangerous infectious disease arriving within their jurisdiction or district as Sanitary Authority under that Order, and for the purpose of defraying the cost of the said additional Buildings and the other expenses referred to, have expended the sum of £301 2s. 9d.:

NOW THEREFORE, We, the Local Government Board for Ireland, do hereby declare that the proportions of the said sum of £301 2s. 9d., to be paid to the Guardians of Belfast Union by the Urban Sanitary Districts aforesaid, shall be the sum which is set forth in Column 2 of the Schedule to this Order opposite the name of the Contributory Sanitary District described in Column 1 of the said Schedule.

SCHEDULE

Column 1.	Column 2.
Names of Contributory Sanitary Districts.	Sum to be paid to the Guardians of Belfast Union.
	£ s. d.
Town of Belfast. . . .	248 0 9
Town of Holywood. . . .	4 13 9

Given under our Hands and Seal of Office, this Twenty-eighth day of September, One Thousand Eight Hundred and Eighty-five.

(Signed),

HENRY ROBINSON,  
CHARLES CROKER-KING,  
GEORGE MORRIS.

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No. 4.—ORDER providing for making RETURNS of BURIALS to the REGISTRARS of BIRTHS and DEATHS, in respect of the three Unions of NORTH and SOUTH DUBLIN and RATHDOWN.

To the SANITARY AUTHORITIES of the Rural and Urban Sanitary Districts comprised in the three Unions named in the Schedule A annexed to this Order; to the CLERK, or SECRETARY, or REGISTRAR to every Burial Board and Cemetery Company or other Authority having charge of any Burial Ground therein, and to all persons whom it may concern.

WHEREAS by "The Public Health (Ireland) Act, 1878," it is provided as follows:

SECTION 191.—"The Clerk, or Secretary, or Registrar to every Burial Board and Cemetery Company or other authority having charge of any Burial Ground, shall make or cause to be made, at such times and in such manner as the Local Government Board may direct, a return of the names, addresses, dates of death and causes of death, so far as ascertained by him, of the persons whose bodies have been interred in such Burial Ground, to the Registrar of the District in which such persons resided at the dates of their deaths respectively, and such Clerk, Secretary, or Registrar of each such Cemetery Company shall be paid therefor by the Sanitary Authority during the period he is required to perform such duty such sum as the Local Government Board may direct."

AND WHEREAS, by the 7th Section of the "Public Health (Ireland) Amendment Act, 1879," it is provided that the Returns referred to in the said recited section shall either be transmitted by each such Clerk, or Secretary, or Registrar to the Registrar of Births and Deaths of the District prescribed by the said recited section, or shall be sent to the Registrar-General of Births and Deaths in Ireland, as the Local Government Board shall from time to time order:

AND WHEREAS, by a General Order under our Seal, dated the 13th day of November, 1879, for the purpose of carrying out the provisions of the said Acts as above recited, with respect to the Burial Grounds situate in the Unions named in the Schedule A to this Order, We, the Local Government Board for Ireland, did order and direct as follows:—

"The Clerk or Secretary, or Registrar to every Burial Board and Cemetery Company or other authority having charge of any such Burial Ground as aforesaid, shall make or cause to be made, and sent to the Registrar-General of Births and Deaths in Ireland a Return, weekly, in the Form in the Schedule B to this Order annexed, and such Clerk, Secretary, or Registrar of each such Burial Board and Cemetery Company or other authority shall be paid therefor by the Sanitary Authority of the District in which persons whose bodies have been interred in such Burial Grounds, resided at the dates of their deaths, respectively, during the period he is required to perform such duty, at the rate of Three Pence for each separate entry of the required particulars."



AND WHEREAS, by a General Order under our Seal, dated the 1st day of September, 1880, We did amend our said Order of the 13th November, 1879, so far as related to the payment for the Returns so required to be made weekly to the Registrar-General as aforesaid :

AND WHEREAS, it is expedient to rescind our said Orders, and to further make Order for the purpose of carrying out the provisions of the said Acts as above recited :

NOW THEREFORE, We, the Local Government Board for Ireland, do hereby declare that from the 1st day of April next, inclusive, our said General Orders, dated respectively the 13th day of November, 1879, and the 1st day of September, 1880, shall be rescinded :

AND for the purpose of carrying out the provisions of the said Acts, as above recited, with respect to the Burial Grounds situate in the three Unions named in the Schedule A. to this Order, We do hereby Order and direct as follows :

From the said 1st day of April next, inclusive, the Clerk, or Secretary, or Registrar to every Burial Board and Cemetery Company or other authority having charge of any such Burial Ground as aforesaid, shall make or cause to be made, a Return, weekly, in the Form in the Schedule B. to this Order annexed, in regard to the persons whose bodies have been interred in such Burial Ground, and shall transmit such Return, weekly, to the Registrar of Births and Deaths of the District or respective Districts in which such persons resided at the dates of their deaths respectively, and the Clerk, or Secretary, or Registrar of each Cemetery Company by whom such Returns shall be made as aforesaid, shall be paid therefor by the Sanitary Authority of the District in which persons whose bodies have been interred in the Burial Ground under the charge of such Cemetery Company, resided at the dates of their deaths respectively, during the period he is required to perform such duty, at the rate of Three Pence for each separate entry of the required particulars.

Sealed with our Seal this Fifth day of March, in the year  
of our Lord, One Thousand Eight Hundred and  
Eighty-six

(Signed),

HENRY ROBINSON,  
CHARLES CROKER-KING,  
GEORGE MORRIS.

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#### SCHEDULE A.

Names of Unions referred to in the foregoing Order.

North Dublin,  
South Dublin, and  
Rathdown.

## SCHEDULE B.

Public Health (Ireland) Act, 41 and 43 Vic., cap. 52, and Public Health (Ireland) Amendment Act, 1879, 42 and 43 Vic., cap. 57, sec. 7.

Name of Burial Ground.

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SIR,

Pursuant to the Order of the Local Government Board, I beg to forward herewith Returns of particulars respecting the persons, numbering \_\_\_\_\_ interred during the Week ended Saturday, the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 18 \_\_\_\_\_ in the above-named Burial Ground.

I am, sir, your obedient servant,

To the Registrar of Births and Deaths,

\_\_\_\_\_ District.

Returns of Burials for the Week ended Saturday, \_\_\_\_\_ 18 \_\_\_\_.

Registrar's District of \_\_\_\_\_ Union of \_\_\_\_\_

Returns of particulars respecting persons whose bodies were interred during the Week ended Saturday, \_\_\_\_\_ 18 \_\_, in the Burial Ground situate at \_\_\_\_\_ County of \_\_\_\_\_ and who at the dates of their deaths respectively resided in the above-named Registrar's District.

NOTE.—This Return is to be sent to the Registrar on the MONDAY following the Week to which it relates.

Name of Deceased Person.	Address of Deceased Person.	Date of Death.	Cause of Death.	Sanitary District in which PLACE OF DEATH is situated.	FOR USE OF THE REGISTRAR OF DEATHS.	
					No. of entry in Register of Deaths.	REMARKS.
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So.						

I hereby certify that the above is a true and correct Return.

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Signature of Officer of Burial Ground.)

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Title.) \_\_\_\_\_ 18 \_\_\_\_ (Date.)

Compared with Register of Deaths.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Registrar.

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## APPENDIX B.

## CIRCULARS, &amp;c.

## I.—CIRCULARS RELATING TO THE POOR LAW ACTS, THE LABOURERS (IRELAND) ACTS, &amp;c.

## No. 1.—DUTIES of CLERKS of UNIONS under the "REPRESENTATION OF THE PEOPLE ACT, 1884."

Local Government Board, Dublin,

11th April, 1885.

SIR,

I am directed by the Local Government Board for Ireland to enclose, for your information and guidance, a copy of a letter addressed to them by the Chief Secretary to the Lord Lieutenant relating to the duties of Clerks of Unions under the "Representation of the People Act, 1884."

I am, sir, your obedient servant,

W. D. WODSWORTH, Secretary.

To the Clerk of the Union.

ENCLOSURE.

Dublin Castle,

7th April, 1885.

SIR,

I am directed by the Lord Lieutenant to inform you that a number of applications have recently been made to him by Clerks of Poor Law Unions in different parts of Ireland, asking for instructions upon various points connected with the preparation of the Lists of Parliamentary Voters, and asking that a Bill should be introduced by the Government for extending the times fixed by Law within which the Registration proceedings are required to be taken.

From these applications it is apparent that a good deal of uncertainty exists as to the duties of Clerks of Unions under the Registration Acts. Under the ninth section of the "Representation of the People Act, 1884," the Clerks of Unions are required to serve upon the owners of property which comprises a dwelling-house, where the owner is liable to pay the rates and not the occupier, a notice calling for a Return of the names of the occupiers entitled to the Household Franchise, with a view to having such names added in a separate column of the Rate Book. The Returns to such notices must be furnished within twenty-one days. The notices may, under the Act, be served at any time in the months of April or May. Several of the Clerks of Unions and the Executive Committee of the Union Officers' Association, assume that they will be discharging their duties properly if they serve their notices upon the 31st of May, the last day permitted by law. They point out that if service is effected on that day, and if the Returns are made twenty-one days afterwards, a period of only seventeen days will be available, up to the 8th July, during which they must make out the Supplemental List supplied by them to the Clerk of the Peace. They anticipate, with good reason, that the Supplemental Lists will be imperfectly made out in consequence of the shortness of this period all through, upon the assumption that they will be warranted in deferring the service of notices until the 31st May.

They are not correct in assuming that this course is the correct one, or was contemplated by the Act. The enactment upon the subject is distinct, that the notices may be served in April or May. The form of the notice is given in the Schedule to the Act. The importance of getting in the returns at an early date is apparent to the Clerks themselves. A very moderate amount of energy and foresight would have sufficed to secure this. The result would be, that not only would the Clerks of Unions have ample time in which to make out their Supplemental Lists, and send them in on the 8th July, but that they might, by having all the requisite information collected in advance, have furnished

those lists to the Clerks of the Peace before that day, that is to say at any time after the 1st of July, giving the Clerks of the Peace an additional week to prepare and print the lists for publication.

His Excellency authorizes the Local Government Board to inform the Clerks of Unions generally of his opinion upon this matter.

A printed memorandum of instructions, explanatory of the existing law regulating the duties of Clerks of the Unions will be transmitted in the course of a few days.

I am, sir, your obedient servant,

H. CAMPBELL-BANNERMAN.

To the Vice-President, Local Government  
Board, Custom House.

No. 2.—DUTIES of CLERKS of UNIONS under the "REPRESENTATION OF THE PEOPLE ACT, 1884."

Local Government Board, Dublin,  
23rd April, 1885.

SIR,

Adverting to their Circular Letter of the 11th instant, enclosing a copy of a letter addressed to them by the Chief Secretary to the Lord Lieutenant, relating to the duties of Clerks of Unions, under the Representation of the People Act, 1884," I am directed by the Local Government Board for Ireland to forward, for your further information and guidance, a copy of a communication dated the 21st instant, on the same subject, to which your immediate attention is requested.

I am, sir, your obedient servant,

W. D. WODSWORTH, Secretary.

To the Clerk of each Union.

ENCLOSURE.

Irish Office, London,  
21st April, 1885.

SIR,

With reference to the last paragraph of my letter of the 7th instant, I am directed by the Lord Lieutenant to inform you that the proposed introduction in the Schedule to the Irish Registration Bill of precepts containing instructions as to the duties of Clerks of the Unions under it will, if adopted by Parliament, render any further communication in the nature of detailed instructions unnecessary. But I take this opportunity of pointing out the extreme importance of the greatest expedition being used by Clerks of the Unions in serving notices upon Owners to return the names of their tenants.

I am, sir, your obedient servant,

H. CAMPBELL-BANNERMAN.

The Vice-President, Local Government Board, Dublin.

No. 3.—NOTICE as to RATES, to be SERVED on INHABITANT OCCUPIERS under the "REPRESENTATION OF THE PEOPLE ACT, 1884."

Local Government Board, Dublin,  
7th May, 1885.

SIR

Adverting to their letter of the 26th of January last, forwarding a copy of the Representation of the People Act, 1884, I am directed by the Local Government Board for Ireland to draw the attention of the Board of Guardians to the provisions contained in the 9th section of the Act, sub-section 7, applying the enactments specified in the First Schedule of the Act to Ireland.

The sub-section referred to is in the following terms:—

(7.) In Ireland where the owner of a dwelling-house is rated instead of the occupier, the occupier shall nevertheless be entitled to be registered as a voter, and to vote under the same conditions under which an occupier of a dwelling-house in England is entitled in pursuance of the Poor Rate Assessment and Collection Act, 1869, and the Acts amending the same, to be registered as a voter, and to vote where the owner is rated, and the enactments referred to in the First Schedule to this Act shall apply to Ireland accordingly, with the modifications in that schedule mentioned.

Amongst the enactments applied to Ireland by the sub-section above set out is the 28th section of the English Representation of the People Act, 1867.

That section, as modified in its application to Ireland, imposes upon the Collectors of Poor Rate the obligation of serving a notice in a prescribed form upon the occupier of premises capable of conferring the franchise, informing him that he will not be registered as a voter in the ensuing registration, unless any poor rate due in respect of the qualifying premises on the previous 31st December is paid on or before the 1st July. The notice must be served on or before the 20th of May upon all occupiers of such premises as are above described the poor rate on which remained unpaid on the 1st May. The enactment, originally limited to borough registration, now applies to both counties and boroughs; and as the modifications, in applying it to Ireland, which the Representation of the People Act, 1884, imports into it are somewhat intricate, particularly in respect of the dates specified in the English Act of 1867, the Board annex a copy of the notice, in the form in which they are advised it should be used in this country.

If the attention of the Collectors of Poor Rate has not been called to these provisions and to the necessity of serving the notices referred to, it will be well that the Board of Guardians should at once communicate with them on the subject.

A sufficient number of copies of this letter are forwarded for distribution to the collectors, and copies of the notices may be purchased at Messrs. Thom, Abbey-street, Dublin.

I am, sir, your obedient servant,

W. D. WODSWORTH, Secretary.

To the Clerk to the Board of Guardians.

#### ENCLOSURE.

#### REPRESENTATION OF THE PEOPLE ACT, 1884.

NOTICE AS TO RATES to be served upon INHABITANT OCCUPIERS of DWELLING-HOUSES by the BOARD of GUARDIANS of every UNION.

[To be served on or before 20th May pursuant to s. 28 of 30 & 31 Vict. c. 102, extended to counties and boroughs in Ireland by Schedule 1 of the Representation of the People Act, 1884, with the modifications contained in that Schedule, and those required to be made by s. 7 of the Representation of the People Act, 1884.]

To [Name of occupier.]

, county of [or "borough of" as the case may be.]

Take notice, that you will not be entitled to have your name inserted in the list of voters for this county [or "borough" as the case may be.] now about to be made in respect of the premises in your occupation in [here give situation of dwelling-house], unless, on or before the first of July, all poor rates due in respect of the premises on the 31st of December last, amounting to £

are paid by you or by the owner of the premises; and if such payment is not made, you will be incapable of being on the next register of voters for the county of [or "borough of" as the case may be.]

Dated,

Signed,

Clerk of the Union.

[NOTE.—This notice need not be served if a demand note for rates has been previously served. Service of this notice may be personal, or it may be left at the last or usual place of abode of the householder, or with some person on the premises in respect of which the rate is payable.]

**NO. 4.—LATEST DATE on which NOTICES as to RATES may be SERVED on OCCUPIERS, under REGISTRATION of VOTERS (IRELAND) BILL.**

Local Government Board, Dublin,  
21st May, 1885.

SIR,

Adverting to their Circular of the 7th instant, relating to the service of certain notices on the occupiers of premises capable of conferring the Parliamentary Franchise, I am directed by the Local Government Board for Ireland to acquaint the Board of Guardians that the following amendment as to the latest date for service of the notices in question during the present year, has been made in the Registration of Voters (Ireland) Bill, namely:—

"In the year 1885, the notice as to rates mentioned in section 28  
"of the Representation of the People Act, 1867, may be served at  
"any time before the ninth day of June."

This provision should be made known immediately to each of the Collectors of Poor Rate, and a sufficient number of copies of this communication are enclosed to enable you to send one to each of these officers.

I am, sir, your obedient servant,

W. D. WODSWORTH, Secretary.

To the Clerk to the Board of Guardians.

**NO. 5.—PARLIAMENTARY REGISTRATION (IRELAND) ACT, 1885.**

Local Government Board, Dublin,  
28th May, 1885.

SIR,

I am directed by the Local Government Board for Ireland to forward to you herewith a copy of the Parliamentary Registration (Ireland) Act, 1885, 48 Vic., chap. 17.

I am, sir, your obedient servant,

W. D. WODSWORTH, Secretary.

To the Clerk of each Union.

## No. 6.—UNION OFFICERS (IRELAND) ACT, 1885.

Local Government Board, Dublin,  
21st August, 1885.

SIR,

I am directed by the Local Government Board for Ireland to transmit to you herewith for the information of the Board of Guardians, a copy of the Union Officers (Ireland) Act, 1885, which empowers Boards of Guardians to make allowances to Officers of Poor Law Unions in Ireland on abolition of Office, subject to the conditions on which superannuation allowances may be granted under the Act 28 Vic., cap. 26, and the Acts amending the same.

I am, sir, your obedient servant,

W. D. WODSWORTH, Secretary.

To the Clerk of each Union.

## No. 7.—ASSESSMENT under CONTAGIOUS DISEASES (ANIMALS) ACT, 1878.

Local Government Board, Dublin,  
21st August, 1885.

SIR,

The Local Government Board for Ireland transmit to you herewith, for your information and guidance, a Copy of an Order under their Seal which has been issued in pursuance of "The Contagious Diseases (Animals) Act, 1878," in accordance with the Certificate of the Chief Secretary to his Excellency the Lord Lieutenant, that a sum of £14,436 12s. 1½d., being equivalent to a rating of One Farthing in the Pound on the net annual value of the property in all the Unions in Ireland, is required for the purposes of the said Act.

The Local Government Board desire to draw your attention as Treasurer of the ——— Union, to the 83rd Section of the Act, a copy of which is annexed hereto, by which you will perceive that on receipt of the Order you are required out of the Union funds to pay over the amount assessed on the Union, to the Bank of Ireland, to be placed to the General Cattle Diseases Fund. You will see by the Order that the amount assessed on the ——— Union is £——

I am, sir, your obedient servant,

W. D. WODSWORTH, Secretary.

To the Treasury of the ——— Union.

COPY of SECTION 83 of the CONTAGIOUS DISEASES (ANIMALS) ACT, 1878,  
(41 & 42 Vic., c. 74.)

## GENERAL CATTLE DISEASES FUND.

83.—(1.) There shall be a General Cattle Diseases Fund for the purposes of this Part.

(2.) Any money at the commencement of this Act standing at the Bank of Ireland to the credit of the Cattle Plague Account shall be transferred to the account of the General Cattle Diseases Fund; and that money shall in the first instance constitute that Fund, as if it had been raised under this Act.

(3.) The Chief Secretary may from time to time, as and when he thinks fit, certify to the effect that a sum equivalent to a certain poundage on the net

annual value of the property in all the unions is required for the purposes of this Act.

(4.) Thereupon the Local Government Board shall by order under their seal assess that sum on the several unions in proportion to the net annual value of the property therein.

(5.) They shall send copies of the order to the guardians and to the treasurer of each union.

(6.) Thereupon the treasurer of each union shall out of union funds pay over the amount assessed on the union to the Bank of Ireland, to be placed to the General Cattle Diseases Fund.

(7.) The guardians of each union shall debit the several electoral divisions with proportions of that sum, according to the net annual value of the property therein.

(8.) No larger sum shall be levied under this Act at any one time than shall be equivalent to a poundage of one halfpenny in the pound on the net annual value of the property in all the unions; nor shall any larger sum be levied under this Act in the whole than shall be equivalent, taken with any money before the commencement of this Act carried to the cattle plague account, to a poundage of fourpence in the pound on the net annual value of the property in all the unions.

(9.) On receipt of a certificate of the Chief Secretary to the effect that any part of the sum standing to the General Cattle Diseases Fund is not required for purposes of that fund, the Local Government Board shall by order under their seal assign the proportions returnable to the several unions, according to the net annual value of the property therein; and the Bank of Ireland shall, on a direction to that effect from the Chief Secretary, remit the sum so assigned to the treasurers of the unions; and the guardians of each union shall, on receipt of that sum, credit the several electoral divisions with proportions of that sum according to the net annual value of the property therein.

#### NO. 8.—ASSESSMENT under CONTAGIOUS DISEASES (ANIMALS) ACT, 1878.

Local Government Board, Dublin,

21st August, 1885.

SIR,

The Local Government Board for Ireland have received from the Chief Secretary to His Excellency the Lord Lieutenant a Certificate under the provisions of "The Contagious Diseases (Animals) Act, 1878," that a sum of £14,436 12s. 1½d., being equivalent to a rating of One Farthing in the Pound on the net annual value of the property in all the Unions in Ireland, is required for the purposes of the said Act.

It has been at the same time intimated to the Local Government Board that the Lord Lieutenant desires that the Board should take the further steps necessary for providing the funds required.

The Board have accordingly issued an Order, under the 83rd Section of the Act, assessing the said sum of £14,436 12s. 1½d., upon the several Unions in Ireland in proportion to the net annual value of the property in each Union according to the valuation thereof now in force.

It will be seen by the enclosed copy of the Order that the sum assessed upon

Union is £

and a copy of the Order has been duly forwarded to the Treasurer of the Union for his information and guidance.

I am, sir, your obedient servant,

W. D. WODSWORTH, *Secretary.*

Union.

To the Clerk of the



**No. 9.—MODE of FILLING UP the COLUMNS in RATE BOOKS prescribed in pursuance of the "REPRESENTATION OF THE PEOPLE ACT, 1884."**

Local Government Board, Dublin,  
25th August, 1885.

SIR,

The Local Government Board for Ireland having been applied to for instructions as to the mode of filling up the columns in the rate books prescribed in pursuance of the 9th section of the Representation of the People Act, 1884, I am directed by the Local Government Board to state that they are advised that, inasmuch as the lists of persons entitled to be registered as Inhabitant Occupiers are to be made out *de novo* each year from the requisition forms as filled up and returned, Clerks of Unions in preparing rate books between the present time and April next should not insert in the columns referred to the names of the Inhabitant Occupiers ascertained in April or May last, but should leave these columns blank until the months of April or May next, when they should fill them up from the Returns made upon the requisition forms to be served next year, pursuant to Section 9, Sub-section 3, of the same Act.

I am, sir, your obedient servant,

W. D. WODSWORTH, Secretary.

To the Clerk of each Union.

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**No. 10.—LABOURERS (IRELAND) ACT, 1885.**

Local Government Board, Dublin,  
25th August, 1885.

SIR,

I am directed by the Local Government Board for Ireland to forward herewith, for the information of the Rural Sanitary Authority, a copy of the Labourers Act, 1885, to amend the Labourers (Ireland) Act, 1883, and for other purposes connected with Labourers' Dwellings in Ireland.

Instructions as to applications to the Local Government Board for orders under the Act in continuation of the instructions already issued will be prepared and transmitted to the Sanitary Authority in due course.

I am, Sir, your obedient servant,

W. D. WODSWORTH, Secretary.

To the Executive Sanitary Officer of  
each Rural Sanitary Authority.

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**No. 11.—The LABOURERS ACTS, 1883 and 1885.—PROVISIONAL ORDERS.**

Local Government Board, Dublin,  
9th September, 1885.

SIR,

Adverting to their letter of the 25th ultimo, enclosing a copy of the Labourers (Ireland) Act, 1885, I am directed by the Local Government Board for Ireland to forward herewith, for the information and guidance of the Board of Guardians, acting as the Sanitary Authority, a revised

instructional memorandum as to applications to the Board for Provisional Orders under the Labourers (Ireland) Acts, 1883 and 1885.

The Board invite the particular attention of the Sanitary Authority to these instructions. They should be carefully perused and noted, as much expense in the preliminary proceedings, and subsequent delays and difficulty will be avoided if the instructions are duly attended to by the Sanitary Authority and their officers and any professional advisers whom they may employ.

I am also to enclose a copy of an order which the Board have made in pursuance of section 12, sub-section 2, and sections 13 and 15 of the Labourers Act of 1885, regulating the time for presenting opposing petitions under the Labourers Acts, and for advertising the proposed amendments to an improvement scheme.

I am, Sir, your obedient servant,

W. D. WEDSWORTH, Secretary.

To the Clerk of each Union.

#### ENCLOSURE.

LABOURERS (IRELAND), ACT, 1883, and LABOURERS (IRELAND) ACT,  
1885.

#### PROVISIONAL ORDERS.

Memorandum of Instructions as to Applications to the Local Government Board for Ireland for Provisional Orders under these Acts.

Upon the completion of an improvement scheme\* the Sanitary Authority shall publish advertisements and serve notices as required by Section 7† of the Act of 1883, as amended by Section 19 of the Act of 1885. The advertisements may now be published in any month of the year. The notices to owners, lessees, and occupiers of lands to be taken compulsorily, must state in the case of each parcel of land, whether it is proposed to be taken for a term of years or otherwise. Such notices should in each case require an answer within one month after the service of the notice.

Upon compliance with the provisions of Section 7 of the Act of 1883, as amended by Sections 19 and 21 of the Act of 1885, with respect to the publication of advertisements and the service of notices, the Sanitary Authority shall, on the expiration of one month at least after the service of the last of the notices, present a petition‡ to the Local Government Board, praying that a Provisional Order may be made confirming the scheme.

\* It is desirable that the representation and the scheme made upon it should show clearly and distinctly whether the proposed building, or purchase, of cottages is in consequence of the number of existing cottages being deficient, having regard to the ordinary requirements of the district, or because existing cottages are unfit for human habitation, owing to dilapidation or other sanitary defects.

† If it is proposed to take land to be parcelled out in allotments to be let to agricultural labourers living in a neighbouring village or town, the particulars of the arrangement contemplated should be fully described.

‡ If the representation is made on a printed form, care should be taken to strike out of the form such portions of the printed matter as are not applicable to the circumstances of the case.

† Particular attention should be paid to the proper statements being included in the advertisements, viz.—the limits of the section to which the scheme relates—the estimated cost—the proposed area of charge—and the place where the scheme is deposited for inspection. The three newspaper advertisements should be published during three consecutive weeks in the same month, and the scheme should be deposited for inspection concurrently with the appearance of the first of such advertisements.

‡ "Petition." This should be written on folio foolscap paper, on one side only, be signed by the chairman of the sanitary authority and countersigned by their executive sanitary officer, and sealed with their seal.

Where several schemes have been completed a separate petition in relation to each scheme will be necessary.

The petition must be accompanied by a copy of the scheme, and of the maps, particulars, and estimate thereof, and it shall state the names of the owners or reputed owners, lessees or reputed lessors, who have dissented in respect of the taking their lands.

Duplicates of the maps, particulars, and books of reference relative to the scheme must be deposited by the Sanitary Authority for public inspection with the clerk of every union to which each scheme relates, and the advertisement of the scheme having been made should state that they have been so deposited.

The petition should also be accompanied by a statutory declaration showing that the requirements of Sections 4 and 7 of the Act of 1883, and of Section 19 of the Act of 1885 with respect to advertisements, notices,\* and the deposit of the scheme for inspection, have been properly complied with. A copy of the representation† originally made to the Sanitary Authority should also be furnished with a certificate from the clerk of the union as to whether each of the signatories is rated for the relief of the poor and resident within the area of charge named in the scheme. In case a supplemental approval of a representation and of proceedings consequent thereon becomes necessary under the circumstances stated in Section 5 of the Act of 1883, a copy of such approval should be furnished with a statement by the clerk of the union of the date of its reception, and whether each signatory is rated and resident within the area of charge. Sanitary officers' certificates‡ (if any), or copies of them, in support of the representations, should also be forwarded.

The statutory declaration must be stamped with a half-crown stamp, and copies of the newspapers containing the advertisements and also of the form of notices should be annexed as exhibits.

If a loan is required to carry out the scheme, application for such loan should be made when the petition is presented on a form which has been prepared for the purpose, copies of which will be supplied on application to the Board by the Sanitary Authority.

Section 12 of the Act of 1885 enacts that—

"A Provisional Order of the Local Government Board for confirming an improvement scheme under the said Act (Act of 1883), or under this Act shall become absolute and shall take effect, unless :

- (a.) The order authorizes the purchase of any land otherwise than by agreement, or the taking of any land for a term of years otherwise than by agreement, and a petition against the order, signed by an owner or occupier of land proposed to be purchased or taken otherwise than by agreement, is lodged with the Local Government Board; or,
- (b.) A petition against the order, signed by not less than twelve ratepayers liable to pay rates in respect of property situate within the area declared by such order to be chargeable, is lodged with the Local Government Board."

and that—

"Petitions under this section may be lodged within such time, not less than one month after the making and publication of the Provisional Order, as the Board may from time to time by regulation prescribe."

The Local Government Board have accordingly made an order prescribing that petitions under the section quoted may be lodged within one calendar month after the making and publication of the Provisional Order.

\* It will be seen that the notice to be published and the notice to be sent to each guardian under section 4 of the Act of 1883, naming the day on which a representation is to be taken into consideration, must be given "not less than fourteen days" before the day of meeting. The Local Government Board have been advised that the settled rule of construction of this expression excludes both terminal days; that the day of sending the notice and the day of receiving it must both be excluded; that the fourteen days will not be completed until the end (i.e. midnight) of the fourteenth day, commencing to count on the day after the notice has been received.

† See note (\*) on preceding page.

‡ The certificate should be specific as to each house.

## ISSUE OF AN AMENDING PROVISIONAL ORDER.

Under Section 13 of the Act of 1885, an amending Provisional Order should be made declaring that the enactments contained in the said Act, relative to the taking of land for a term of years, shall apply to lands authorized to be purchased and taken otherwise than by agreement by a Provisional Order made before the passing of said Act and confirmed by Parliament; and such amending order may alter sites and vary the original order.

Application for such an "Amending Provisional Order" should be made by petition, adopted after due notice to each member of the Sanitary Authority, signed in the same manner as the original petition, and sealed with the Seal of the Sanitary Authority; and should be accompanied by a schedule stating the particulars of the lands to which the amending Provisional Order is to apply, as set out in the original order, and of the proposed variations of sites (if any), and of proposed variations of the original order (if any).

If a petition is lodged against such amending order, it must be lodged within one calendar month after the making and publication of the order.

## AMENDMENTS OF SCHEME.

Under Section 15 of the Act of 1885, a Sanitary Authority after making an improvement scheme and *before* a Provisional Order is made thereon, may propose amendments in the scheme.

In accordance with the provisions of the section above referred to the Local Government Board have made an order that public advertisement of such amendments shall be given by publishing the same during three consecutive weeks in two or more newspapers circulating within the jurisdiction of the Sanitary Authority.

The proposal of such amendments to the Local Government Board must be accompanied by a statutory declaration that the requirements of Section 15 of the Act of 1885 with respect to advertisements (as above), notices, and the deposit of such amendments with a map for inspection, have been properly complied with.

The notices referred to should be served during the month next following the month in which the advertisement is published, as the Local Government Board do not intend at present to prescribe any other interval.

Local Government Board, Dublin.  
9th September, 1885.

No. 12.—LABOURERS ACT, 1885, and LAND LAW (IRELAND)  
ACT, 1881.—Rules of the Irish Land Commission.

Local Government Board, Dublin,  
24th September, 1885.

SIR,

I am directed by the Local Government Board for Ireland to forward to you, for the information of the Board of Guardians acting as the Rural Sanitary Authority a copy of the rules recently made by the Irish Land Commission under the provisions of the Labourers (Ireland) Act, 1885, Section 5, and the Land Law (Ireland) Act, 1881, Section 50.

I am, Sir, your obedient servant,

W. D. WODSWORTH, *Secretary.*

To the Clerk of each Union.

## ENCLOSURE.

## IRISH LAND COMMISSION.

The Labourers (Ireland) Act, 1883, The Labourers (Ireland) Act, 1885.

## RULES AND FORMS.

The Tenth day of September, 1885.

It is this day ordered that the following General Rules and Forms shall from this date until further order, regulate the practice and be in force in the IRISH LAND COMMISSION in relation to proceedings taken under the provisions of the Labourers (Ireland) Act, 1883, and the Labourers (Ireland) Act, 1885, hereinafter termed the Act, or any part of any Act incorporated therewith, and which proceedings under the said Acts are to be taken in the Land Commission.

1. All such proceedings under the Act shall be conducted by the Court in chamber; Provided that in case either the sanitary authority or the limited owner or owners, as the case may be, desires that the proceedings subsequent to the lodgment of the application shall take place before a Sub-Commission constituted under the 43rd section of the Land Law (Ireland) Act, 1881, application may be made in the matter on notice to the opposite party and the Court may, if it so deem fit, delegate to a Sub-Commission the further hearing of the application. Provided also that the Irish Land Commission of its own motion may at any stage of the proceedings delegate to a Sub-Commission the powers conferred on them to adjudicate upon the rent, terms, provisions, and conditions, at and subject to which the land is proposed to be taken by the sanitary authority, or to adjudicate on any one or more of the same, or to ascertain loss, and award in special circumstances, compensation for such loss, injury or damage, sustained by any owner or occupier of land taken, and which shall not be compensated for by the rent to be made payable therefor.

*Applications under Section 3 of the Act.*

2. The application to confirm a lease granted or proposed to be granted by a limited owner and referred to in the third section of the Act, may be in Form A or Form B (according to the circumstances of the case), to these orders annexed. The sanitary authority or the limited owner, as the case may be, shall lodge with the Court together with the application, the lease, where the same has been granted, or a draft of the lease proposed to be granted, and a copy of the application shall be duly served on the opposite party, and also upon every person who shall be in occupation of the land demised or proposed to be demised, within one fortnight after the lodgment of the application in Court.

3. It shall be the duty of the applicant who has so lodged the lease or the draft lease, after service on the opposite party of notice of the application and within two months from the date when the application was lodged, to take out and serve on the opposite party a summons, which may be in Form C, and which shall be issued and signed by the Registrar or Assistant Registrar of the Land Commission, upon production of an affidavit of the service of the application upon the opposite party, to proceed upon the matter of the said application.

4. Upon the hearing of such application, proof shall be given that the lease or proposed lease does not include any mansion-house, home farm, or demesne lands, and that the rent reserved or proposed to be reserved is the best rent which can reasonably be had for the parcel of land without taking any thing in the nature of a fine, premium, or foregift. The parties may respectively sustain the application or any suggested modification of the lease or proposed lease by such documentary or oral evidence, or by affidavit, as they may be advised, and the Court may require such proof to be given and such persons or parties to be served with notice of the application and give such directions in all respects as it thinks fit.

5. The order made on such application, either confirming or refusing to confirm any such lease with or without modification shall be indorsed upon the

lease or draft of the lease lodged with the Court and shall be sealed with the seal of the Irish Land Commission, and the lease or draft lease so endorsed and sealed shall be delivered to the party who shall have lodged the same, or to such party as the Court may direct upon the lodgment by such party with the Registrar of the Commission of a certified copy of the lease or draft with the order made thereon.

*Applications under Section 4 and subsequent sections of the Act.*

6. The application to the Land Commission by a sanitary authority empowered by provisional order of the Local Government Board to take lands compulsorily, and referred to in sec. 4 of the Act, may be in Form D, or as near thereto as circumstances will permit, and shall contain the information required by said form; the application shall be made within six months from the date when such provisional order has been confirmed, or has become absolute. The Court shall have power, notwithstanding the said period shall have elapsed, under special circumstances, to permit the application to be lodged.

7. The application by the owner of the land to be taken by a sanitary authority, may be in Form E, or as near thereto as circumstances will permit, and shall contain the information required by said form; the application shall also be made within the like period of six months, as is provided in the case of an application by a sanitary authority, and the Court shall in like manner have power to permit the application to be lodged notwithstanding the said period shall have elapsed.

8. Upon every such application as is mentioned in Rule 6 or Rule 7 there shall be lodged with the Registrar of the Irish Land Commission together with the application a copy of the provisional order of the Local Government Board, and a map of the parcel or parcels of land authorized to be taken compulsorily by the provisional order, upon a scale of not less than 200 feet to one inch.

9. In the case of an application by a sanitary authority a copy of the application shall be duly served on the owner of the land and also on the occupier (if any), within one fortnight after the lodgment of the application with the Court; and in the case of an application by an owner of land, a copy of the application shall be served upon the sanitary authority within one fortnight after the lodgment of the application with the Court, and also upon every person who shall be in occupation of the parcel of land proposed to be taken.

10. The sanitary authority or the owner of the land proposed to be taken, or any occupier of the land, may, within four weeks after service of the notice of application, lodge with the Registrar of the Irish Land Commission such statement as they respectively may deem necessary in relation to the rent, terms, provisions, and conditions subject to which the land is to be taken, and as to the loss, injury, or damage sustained by the owner or occupier. The statement shall be signed by the owner or occupier who lodges same, or if lodged by a sanitary authority by the proper officer of such authority.

11. When the respective periods of one fortnight and four weeks, provided for in the preceding rules, shall have elapsed, any party interested may take out and serve on the opposite party or parties a summons, which may be in Form B or as near thereto as the circumstances permit, to proceed upon the matter of the said application, such summons shall be issued and signed by the Registrar or Assistant Registrar of the Land Commission.

12. Upon the hearing of every such application the parties may respectively produce such evidence, documentary, parol, or by way of affidavit as they may be advised, and the Court may on such application require such proof to be given and such persons or parties to be served with notice of the application as may appear just, and if it should deem fit may direct inquiries as to the loss, injury, or damage sustained by any owner or occupier of the land taken or proposed to be taken.

13. The order made upon such application shall be engrossed on parchment in duplicate by the party having the carriage of the application, and shall have described on each part a map of the premises. The engrossment, duly stamped, shall be lodged with the Registrar of the Irish Land Commission, and each

part shall be signed by a Commissioner, and be sealed with the seal of the Irish Land Commission. The original shall be handed to the party having the carriage of the proceedings and the duplicate counterpart shall be lodged in the Record Department of the Irish Land Commission.

14. The party lodging any application under the Act shall be deemed to have the carriage of the proceedings but the Court may either on the application of any party interested or of its own motion transfer the carriage of the proceedings to any person it thinks fit, and either upon terms or without terms.

15. If no proceeding shall be taken upon the application lodged for the space of two months from the day of lodgment of such application, the same shall stand dismissed; but the Court shall have power to restate the same on the application of the parties, or either of them, or of any person interested in the proceedings.

16. Any party interested in the application and aggrieved by any order made by one Commissioner or by any order of a Sub-Commissioner may, within one month after the date of such order, serve on the opposite party and the Land Commission, a notice of re-hearing, which may be in Form F. The notice served on the Land Commission must bear an endorsement of the time and mode of service on the opposite party. A notice of re-hearing may be withdrawn by the party serving the same at any time before the appeal is opened in Court, upon the terms of paying such costs as the Court may direct.

17. The Court may award costs of the proceedings, or of any part of the proceedings, against either party, or may refuse to award costs as it may deem just, and may fix the amount of such costs.

18. The existing rules of the Land Commission, dated 12th December, 1883, as regards the computation and extension of time, the service of notices, solicitors, affidavits, certified copies of affidavits and documents, subpoenas, and generally in relation to procedure and practice, shall, so far as applicable and not inconsistent with the foregoing rules, be in force as regards proceedings under the Act.

[Seal.]

JOHN O'HAGAN.  
E. F. LYTTON.  
JOHN E. VERNON.

## FORM A.

LABOURERS (IRELAND) ACT, 1883.—LABOURERS (IRELAND) ACT, 1885.

APPLICATION by SANITARY AUTHORITY to CONFIRM a LEASE or a PROPOSED LEASE under Section 3 of the Act.

To the Irish Land Commission.

Poor Law Union of \_\_\_\_\_  
County of \_\_\_\_\_

The Sanitary Authority of the Poor Law Union of \_\_\_\_\_ hereby applies to the Irish Land Commission pursuant to the provisions of the Labourers (Ireland) Act, 1885, to confirm a certain [lease dated \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ granted (or draft lease proposed to be granted)] by \_\_\_\_\_ of \_\_\_\_\_ (postal address) to the above-mentioned Sanitary Authority, of part of the lands of \_\_\_\_\_ in the county of \_\_\_\_\_ for the term of \_\_\_\_\_ years, at the yearly rent of £ \_\_\_\_\_ [with the modification stated below] and which said [lease (or draft lease)] is herewith lodged with the Irish Land Commission for the purpose aforesaid.

The proposed modification is as follows:—(State proposed modification, if any.)

Signed on behalf of the above-mentioned Sanitary Authority of the Poor Law Union of \_\_\_\_\_

(Signature of the Clerk of Union). \_\_\_\_\_

This \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 188 \_\_\_\_\_

To the Irish Land Commission.

To \_\_\_\_\_ of \_\_\_\_\_ the limited owner.

To \_\_\_\_\_ of \_\_\_\_\_ the occupier (if more than one, state name and address of each).

## FORM B.

LABOURERS (IRELAND) ACT, 1883.—LABOURERS (IRELAND) ACT, 1885.

FORM OF APPLICATION by a LIMITED OWNER to CONFIRM a LEASE or a PROPOSED LEASE to a SANITARY AUTHORITY under Sec. 3 of the Act.

To the Irish Land Commission,

Poor Law Union of \_\_\_\_\_

County of \_\_\_\_\_

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of

a limited owner, hereby apply to the Irish Land Commission pursuant to the provisions of the Labourers (Ireland) Act, 1885, to confirm a certain [lease, dated \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ granted (or draft lease proposed to be granted)] by me to the above-mentioned Sanitary Authority of part of the lands of \_\_\_\_\_ in the county of \_\_\_\_\_ for the term of \_\_\_\_\_ years, at the yearly rent of £ \_\_\_\_\_ [with the modification stated below] and which said [lease (or draft lease)] I herewith lodge with the Irish Land Commission for the purpose aforesaid.

The proposed modification is as follows:—(State proposed modification, if any.)

Signed, \_\_\_\_\_

of \_\_\_\_\_ postal address).

This \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 188

To the Irish Land Commission.

To the Sanitary Authority of the Union of \_\_\_\_\_

To \_\_\_\_\_ of \_\_\_\_\_ the occupier (if more than one, state name and address of each).

## FORM C.

LABOURERS (IRELAND) ACT, 1883.—LABOURERS (IRELAND) ACT, 1885.

FORM OF SUMMONS to PROCEED ON APPLICATION.

To the Irish Land Commission,

Poor Law Union of \_\_\_\_\_

County of \_\_\_\_\_

IN THE MATTER of an application by [the Sanitary Authority of the Poor Law Union of \_\_\_\_\_ County of \_\_\_\_\_ (or A.B. of C.D. a limited owner)], to confirm

a [lease, dated \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ granted (or a draft lease proposed to be granted)] by

of \_\_\_\_\_ to the said Sanitary Authority, of part of the lands of \_\_\_\_\_ in County of \_\_\_\_\_ for

years, at the yearly rent of £ \_\_\_\_\_

UPON application of (the Sanitary Authority or the owner)

you are hereby required to attend before [the Irish Land Commission at 24, Upper Merrion-street, Dublin (or a Sub-Commission of the Irish Land Commission pursuant to order dated \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 188 in the Court House at \_\_\_\_\_)] at the hour of \_\_\_\_\_ o'clock, on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ to proceed with the above-mentioned application, and thence from day to day till same is disposed of.

Signed, \_\_\_\_\_

Registrar of Irish Land Commission,

This \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 188

This Summons was taken out by \_\_\_\_\_ Solicitor for above named \_\_\_\_\_ (if no solicitor, state by applicant in person).



## FORM D.

LABOURERS (IRELAND) ACT, 1883.—LABOURERS (IRELAND) ACT, 1885.

FORM of APPLICATION by SANITARY AUTHORITY in respect of LAND authorized to be taken compulsorily for an order fixing rent and other conditions.

To the Irish Land Commission.

Poor Law Union of \_\_\_\_\_

County of \_\_\_\_\_

The Sanitary Authority of the Poor Law Union of \_\_\_\_\_ hereby applies to the Irish Land Commission pursuant to the provisions of the Labourers (Ireland) Act, 1885, for an order fixing the rent, terms, provisions, and conditions at and subject to which the parcel of land mentioned in the annexed particulars is proposed to be taken for the purposes of the above-mentioned Acts by virtue of a Provisional Order of the Local Government Board dated the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, which Provisional Order was confirmed or became absolute on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 188\_\_\_\_.

Signed on behalf of the above mentioned  
Sanitary Authority of the Poor Law  
Union of \_\_\_\_\_

Signature  
of the Clerk  
of the  
Union.

This \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 188\_\_\_\_

## PARTICULARS TO BE ANSWERED.

1. Townland, . . . . .
2. Contents, . . . . .
3. No. of Ordinance Sheet on which lands appear, . . . . .
4. Rent proposed, . . . . .
5. Term proposed, . . . . .
6. Provisions and conditions subject to which it is proposed the land should be held, . . . . .
7. Name and postal address of owner or owners, . . . . .
8. Name and postal address of the occupier (if any), . . . . .
9. Name and address of the agent of owner or of the receiver or other person who collects the rents, . . . . .

## REPLIES.

A. R. P.

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years.

Note:—  
If space not  
sufficient  
particulars  
may be  
added in a  
Schedule  
signed by  
the Appli-  
cant.

The above particulars are correct to the best of my knowledge, information, and belief.

Signed, \_\_\_\_\_  
day of \_\_\_\_\_

188\_\_\_\_

The Clerk  
of the  
Union.

To the Irish Land Commission.

To \_\_\_\_\_ of \_\_\_\_\_ the owner (if more than one, state name and address of each.

To \_\_\_\_\_ of \_\_\_\_\_ the occupier (if more than one, state name and address of each.)

## FORM E.

LABOURERS (IRELAND) ACT, 1883.—LABOURERS (IRELAND) ACT, 1885.

FORM of APPLICATION by OWNER of LAND, authorized to be taken compulsorily for an order fixing rent and other conditions.

To the Irish Land Commission.

Poor Law Union of \_\_\_\_\_

County of \_\_\_\_\_

I (or we) \_\_\_\_\_ of \_\_\_\_\_ [an owner (or owners)] of land proposed to be taken for the purposes of said Acts, by the Sanitary Authority of the Union of \_\_\_\_\_, by virtue of a Provisional Order of the Local Government Board, dated \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, and which Provisional Order was confirmed or became absolute on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 188\_\_\_\_, hereby apply to the Irish Land Commission for an order fixing the rent, terms, provisions, and

conditions, at and subject to which the parcel of land described in the annexed particulars is proposed to be taken.

Signed, \_\_\_\_\_

of \_\_\_\_\_

This

day of

PARTICULARS TO BE ANSWERED.

REPLIES.

1. Townland, . . . . .
2. Contents, . . . . .
3. No. of Ordnance Sheet on which the lands appear, . . . . .
4. Rent claimed, . . . . .
5. Term proposed, . . . . .
6. Provisions and conditions subject to which it is proposed the land should be held, . . . . .
7. How the lands are held by applicant (state whether in fee, or under lease, or subject to a rent, rent-charge, or quit-rent), . . . . .
8. If under lease, state the rent arising thereout, or if subject to rentcharge or quit-rent the amount of same, and state the rateable value of the entire property subject to such rent, rent-charge, or quit-rent, . . . . .
9. Amount of rent, rentcharge, or quit-rent proposed to be apportioned and to be charged on the parcel of land under sections 6 and 7 of the Act, . . . . .
10. State amount claimed for loss, injury, or damage, if any, and shortly state the nature of same, . . . . .
11. State whether such loss, injury, or damage is proposed to be compensated for by rent. If not, state special circumstances why they should not be so compensated, . . . . .
12. State the name and address of any person interested in the lands as owner or part owner, who is a minor, infant, lunatic, person of unsound mind, married woman, or under other disability, . . . . .

Note:—  
If space not sufficient particulars may be added in a Schedule signed by the Applicant.

A. R. P.

£

years.

The above particulars are true to the best of my knowledge, information, and belief.

Signed, \_\_\_\_\_

of \_\_\_\_\_ (Postal address),

This day of

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To the Irish Land Commission.

To the Sanitary Authority of the Poor Law Union of

To \_\_\_\_\_ of \_\_\_\_\_ the occupier (if more than one, state name and address of each).

FORM F.

LABOURERS (IRELAND) ACT, 1883.—LABOURERS (IRELAND) ACT, 1885.

NOTICE requiring an APPLICATION or ORDER made thereon to be re-heard.

To the Irish Land Commission.

Poor Law Union of \_\_\_\_\_

County of \_\_\_\_\_

[I] (or, the Sanitary Authority of \_\_\_\_\_ in \_\_\_\_\_) am aggrieved by order of (state Commissioner or Sub-Commissioner who made the order) \_\_\_\_\_ made on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ whereby it was ordered (state substance of order complained of).

And [I] (or they) require the application, upon which said order was made, to be re-heard before the three Land Commissioners sitting together.

Dated this \_\_\_\_\_ day

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\_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_

To the Irish Land Commission.

To (the opposite party or parties).

No. 13.—LABOURERS ACTS, 1883 and 1885.—LOANS, PERIODS  
OF REPAYMENT AND RATES OF INTEREST.

Local Government Board, Dublin,  
10th October, 1885.

SIR,

With reference to their circular letter of the 17th January, 1884, relating to the terms on which Loans might be made to Sanitary Authorities for the purpose of carrying into execution improvement Schemes under the Labourers (Ireland) Act, 1883, the Local Government Board for Ireland desire to state, for the information of the Sanitary Authority, that they have received a communication from which they learn that the Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury have had under consideration the Act above referred to, as amended by the Labourers (Ireland) Act, 1885, and that their Lordships have decided that, in future, Loans for the purposes of those Acts may be made repayable in the terms of years and at rates of interest as follows:—

For Loans repayable within a period not exceeding,

35 years, interest at $3\frac{1}{2}$ per cent. shall be charged.			
40       "       " $3\frac{1}{2}$ "       "			
50       "       " $3\frac{1}{2}$ "       "			

The annuities, covering principal and interest, calculated upon the periods chosen for repayment of the Loans will be as follows:—

			£	s.	d.
For a Loan of £100 repayable in 35 years at $3\frac{1}{2}$ per cent.	.	.	4	16	6
"       "       40       " $3\frac{1}{2}$ "       "	.	.	4	13	8
"       "       50       " $3\frac{1}{2}$ "       "	.	.	4	9	2

Their Lordships at the same time intimate that these rates of interest will only be granted so long as the Government itself can borrow on favourable terms like those recently prevailing, and that if the value of money should rise it will be necessary to revert to such rates of interest as will save the Exchequer from loss.

Moreover before sanctioning the grant of Loans on such favourable terms their Lordships will with a view to taking adequate security, require to be furnished with exact information of the valuation and indebtedness of the area on which each Loan is to be secured; they will be guided in their decision on each case by the financial condition of the local bodies desiring to borrow, and they will not authorize an advance when the total indebtedness appears to them to be out of proportion to the annual income which is offered as security for the principal and interest of the Loan.

I am, sir, your obedient servant,

W. D. WODSWORTH, Secretary.

To the Executive Sanitary Officer  
of each Rural Sanitary District.

## No. 14.—LABOURERS ACT, 1885—ORDER IN COUNCIL.

Local Government Board, Dublin,  
24th October, 1885.

SIR,

I am directed by the Local Government Board for Ireland to forward to you, for the information of the Board of Guardians acting as the Rural Sanitary Authority, two copies of an Order made by the Lord Lieutenant in Council containing General Rules under the Labourers (Ireland) Act, 1885, sections 12 and 13, for the regulation of the procedure in respect to the confirmation of Provisional Orders.

I am, sir, your obedient servant,

W. D. WODSWORTH, Secretary.

To the Executive Sanitary Officer of each Rural Sanitary District.

ENCLOSURE.

THE LABOURERS (IRELAND) ORDER, 1885.

By the Lord Lieutenant and Privy Council of Ireland.

CARNARVON.

In pursuance of the Labourers (Ireland) Act, 1885, and by virtue and in exercise of the powers thereby in Us vested, and of every other power enabling Us in this behalf, We, the Lord Lieutenant-General and General Governor of Ireland, by and with the advice and consent of Her Majesty's Privy Council in Ireland, do order as follows:—

That the following shall be General Rules for the regulation of the procedure under the twelfth and thirteenth sections of the said Act, and for carrying the same into effect, and for fixing the taxation and payment of costs to be taken, allowed, and paid in relation to the confirmation of Provisional Orders:—

I. This Order may be cited as the Labourers (Ireland) Order, 1885.

II. A Petition, lodged with the Local Government Board for Ireland, against a Provisional Order made by that Board, under the said Act, and the Labourers (Ireland) Act, 1883, shall, in addition to the signatures of the Petitioners thereto, state in the title or body of the Petition the names and addresses of the Petitioners, and facts and circumstances showing that such Petitioners are entitled to lodge a Petition pursuant to the provisions of the said sections. The Petition shall also set forth the grounds of objection to the Provisional Order, and shall specify by name of street and number of house some place in the city of Dublin, wherest notices and papers relating to the Petition and the proceedings thereunder may be delivered for the Petitioners.

III. Within fourteen days after the period for lodging Petitions against a Provisional Order has expired, the Local Government Board, if it be necessary, and if they desire to make application in writing for an Order in Council confirming such Provisional Order, shall lodge such application with the Clerk of the Privy Council, at his office, in Dublin Castle.

IV. Such application shall contain the dates and short abstracts of the Provisional Order and of the Petition or Petitions that have been lodged against it.

V. The Local Government Board, when lodging with the Clerk of the Privy Council the said application, shall lodge therewith one copy of the following documents:—

- a. The Provisional Order.
- b. Each Petition against the same.
- c. The Petition presented to the Local Government Board by the Sanitary

Authority, pursuant to the provisions of the Labourers (Ireland) Act, 1883, section 7.

- d. The scheme, and other documents that accompanied the last-mentioned Petition.
- e. The report made to the Local Government Board upon the local inquiry directed by them to be held.
- f. Such other documents as the Local Government Board may consider necessary for the use of the Lord Lieutenant in Council, on the bearing of the Petition.

VI. Within seven days after lodging the said application, the Local Government Board shall give written notice to the Sanitary Authority, through the Clerk of such Authority, of the Petitions that have been lodged against the Provisional Order, and of the application made to the Lord Lieutenant in Council to confirm the same.

VII. The Clerk of the Privy Council shall, on the expiration of seven days after the lodging of the application, give notice by advertisement in the *Dublin Gazette* and in some one newspaper circulating within the jurisdiction of the Sanitary Authority, and also by letters posted to the Clerk of the Sanitary Authority and to the Petitioners, addressed to them at the place in the city of Dublin named in the Petition, of the day fixed for the hearing of the application by the Lord Lieutenant in Council: such day shall not be less than ten days after the publication and posting of the said notice.

VIII. On the hearing of the application evidence shall be given orally, on oath or affirmation, unless under special circumstances the Lord Lieutenant in Council shall permit certain facts to be proved by affidavit or by statutory declaration.

IX. If the Lord Lieutenant in Council order costs to be paid by any party, a sum may be fixed by such Order, as and for the said costs, or such costs may, by the said Order, be referred for taxation to the Crown and Treasury Solicitor, and the sum certified under his hand shall be the sum payable in respect of such costs.

X. The expression "Provisional Order" in this Order shall include amending Provisional Order.

Given at the Council Chamber, Dublin Castle, the 19th day of October, 1885.

Asbbourne, C.  
Henry Ormsby.  
Samuel Walker.

W. Hart Dyke.  
Gerald Fitzgibbon.  
Hugh Holmes.

# No. 15.—LABOURERS (IRELAND) ACTS—REDUCTION of INTEREST ON ADVANCES.

Local Government Board, Dublin,  
21st November, 1885.

SIR,

With reference to the circular letter addressed to you on the 10th ultimo respecting the rates of interest on Loans to Sanitary Authorities for the purpose of carrying into execution Improvement Schemes under the Labourers (Ireland) Acts, I am now directed by the Local Government Board for Ireland to state that the Commissioners of Public Works have received a communication from the Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury intimating that their Lordships will not object to reducing the interest on advances already made to the rate fixed by their recent minute in the case of instalments falling due after that date.

The rate of interest, therefore, on the Loan obtained by the ——— Sanitary Authority will be reduced from 4 to  $3\frac{1}{2}$  per cent., and the annuity, covering principal and interest, from £5 7s. 2d. to £4 16s. 6d.

I am, sir, your obedient servant,

W. D. WODSWORTH, Secretary.

To the Executive Sanitary Officer of  
——— Rural Sanitary District.

No. 16.—LABOURERS (IRELAND) ACT, 1885, Section 16.—  
ACQUISITION AND REPAIR OF EXISTING COTTAGES AND TAKING  
OF LAND to be LET to LABOURERS.

Local Government Board, Dublin,  
25th November, 1885.

SIR,

The Local Government Board for Ireland having been consulted with reference to the provisions of section 16 of the Labourers (Ireland) Act, 1885, as to the acquisition and repair of existing cottages and the taking of land to be let to agricultural labourers, desire to point out that the additional powers conferred on Sanitary Authorities by that section can only be exercised in pursuance of a Provisional Order made after the usual preliminary proceedings required by the Act of 1883 have been taken, namely:—Representation, Scheme, Petition, and Local Inquiry.

In cases in which it is proposed to purchase land for the purpose of lettings in allotments to agricultural labourers occupying existing cottages, the representations made by ratepayers to the Sanitary Authority, should be to the effect that such allotments are necessary in order to supply proper accommodation for agricultural labourers and their families within the section.

After cottages have been duly acquired by the Sanitary Authority, plans and specifications of any proposed repairs, additions, or improvements must be furnished, and approved of by the Board, before the works are commenced; and the requirements of the Board's circular letter of the 9th November, 1883, with respect to the accommodation, &c., to be provided in new dwellings, should be complied with, as far as practicable, in the cases of proposed repairs of existing cottages.

The works will be inspected in due course by one of the Engineering Inspectors of the Board.

I am, sir, your obedient servant,

W. D. WODSWORTH, Secretary.

To the Executive Sanitary Officer of each  
Rural Sanitary District.

## II.—CIRCULAR RELATING TO THE MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT, AND VACCINATION ACTS.

### INSTRUCTIONAL MEMORANDUM.

#### A.—MEDICAL RELIEF.

1. A ticket for Medical Relief continues in force—

- (a.) Until it is cancelled by the Committee of Management in pursuance of section 9 of the Medical Charities Act, 1851; or
- (b.) Until the patient ceases to present himself at the Dispensary in the case of a ticket in the Form E 1; or
- (c.) Until the termination of the case, if the ticket be a visiting ticket, in the Form E 2, in which case the Medical Officer is bound to continue his attendance so long as it is required.

Lapse of  
Ticket.

If any case, in the opinion of the Medical Officer, be an unfit one for the continuance of medical relief, he may report the circumstances of the case to the Committee for their directions; and in respect of cases of cessation of attendance by a patient at the Dispensary, the Committee should prescribe a period (of at least a fortnight) for the guidance of the Medical Officer, during which, if a patient ceases to attend without being discharged as cured, and without his case being recorded accordingly, he should be considered as no longer under treatment. In such a case, where uncertainty as to the result exists, column 10 of the Medical Relief Register should be filled up "No further appearance."

Procedure where cases are unfit for Medical relief, or where patient has ceased to attend at Dispensary.

2. Medical relief should not be given without the production of a ticket, signed by a person duly entitled to give tickets for medical relief under the Medical Charities Act, except in cases of urgency. When these occur, the medical officer will act at once on his own responsibility, but he should require the applicants in such instances to procure tickets and present them as soon afterwards as possible.

Production of Ticket.

3. Persons empowered to issue tickets for medical relief under the Medical Charities Act cannot delegate that power to others. Such tickets should not be signed in blank and left to be filled up and signed by other persons.

Power to issue tickets not to be delegated.

4. The responsibility of determining whether an applicant for medical relief is or is not a "poor person" within the meaning of the Medical Charities Act is placed upon the persons who are authorized to afford such relief at their discretion. The issue of tickets should be prevented, so far as possible, to persons who cannot fairly be considered "poor persons" within the meaning of that term used in the 9th section of the Act referred to; otherwise the cost of medical relief, which ought to be borne by the patient or his friends, will be charged upon the rates, and the Medical Officer will be burdened with the duty of affording gratuitous medical aid to persons for whose benefit the provisions of the Act were not intended by the Legislature.

Tickets to be issued to "Poor Persons" only.

5. Two members will constitute a valid meeting of a Committee of Management; but one member cannot examine and sign the register of cases of medical relief, and discharge the duty which devolves upon the Committee under section 9 of the Medical Charities Act.

Quorum of Committee of Management.

#### B.—LUNATICS.

6. The duty of examining dangerous lunatics is cast upon Dispensary Medical Officers by the Acts 14 & 15 Vic., c. 68 (Medical Charities Act); 30 & 31 Vic., c. 118; and 38 & 39, Vic., c. 67.

Examination of Lunatics.

Under the provisions of the 10th section of 30 & 31 Vic., c. 118, the two Justices before whom any person is brought, under circumstances denoting a derangement of mind, may call to their assistance—

- (a.) The Medical Officer of the Dispensary District in which the Justices shall be at the time when the lunatic is brought before them; or
- (b.) If there be more than one such Medical Officer, the nearest available medical officer of such district; or
- (c.) If there be no such Medical Officer available, then the nearest available Medical Officer of any neighbouring Dispensary District—

to examine such person with a view to certifying whether he is a dangerous lunatic or dangerous idiot.

By Section 14 of 38 & 39 Vic., c. 67, the two justices are authorized, if they think fit so to do, to make an order upon the Guardians of the Union, to which the person examined belongs, for payment of the expenses of such examination, including reasonable remuneration, to the Medical Officer—such sum not to exceed in the whole £2.

7. It is the duty of a Dispensary Medical Officer when called to the assistance of the justices to examine any person who may be brought before them under circumstances denoting derangement of mind, before certifying that the person is a dangerous lunatic or a dangerous idiot, to be fully satisfied of the fact after special personal inquiry into the case; and it is important that a copy of the following forms of certificate and statement of particulars should be filled up by the Examining Medical Officer in every appropriate case after such inquiry as above referred to—

Forms to be filled up by the Physician or Surgeon who has personally examined the Lunatic:—

#### 1. MEDICAL CERTIFICATE.

I certify that \_\_\_\_\_, whom I visited on \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, and into whose case I specially and personally inquired is now a dangerous Lunatic, and I am of opinion, from the nature of his malady, that he is a fit subject for speedy admission into \_\_\_\_\_ Lunatic Asylum, under the provisions of the Act 30 & 31 Vic., c. 118, s. 10.

Date,

Signature of Physician or Surgeon,  
Residence,

#### 2. STATEMENT OF PARTICULARS OF CASE.

Species of Insanity.	Probable Cause of Derangement.	Prominent Symptoms.	Whether affected with Bodily Disease.	Whether Idiotic or Epileptic.	Facts indicating that the Patient is a Dangerous Lunatic.

I hereby certify that this form is filled up correctly, to the best of my opinion and belief.

Date,

Signature of Physician or Surgeon,

and of  
Statement  
of particu-  
lars.



## C.—VACCINATION.

## VACCINATION ACTS.

8. The "Vaccination Acts" comprise the Acts—

21 & 22 Vic., c. 64 (1858),

26 & 27 Vic., c. 52 (1863),

31 & 32 Vic., c. 87 (1868),

42 & 43 Vic., c. 70 (1879),

Vaccination  
Acts.

the principal provisions of which are the following :—

(i.) *Division into Districts, and Duty of Medical Officers.*

Vaccination  
Districts  
and attendance  
of Medical  
Officers.

(a.) The Committee of Management of each Dispensary District shall divide such district into Vaccination Districts, and shall require the Medical Officer of the District to attend at some convenient place within each Vaccination District at certain specified times to vaccinate all persons who may come to him for that purpose, and who are fit subjects for vaccination. (Section 1, 21 & 22 Vic., c. 64.)

NOTE.—With regard to the particular periods of the year for attendance at the Vaccination stations it is important that they should be fixed by the Committee (after consultation with the Medical Officer if necessary), that they should be at intervals of not more than three months, and that they should be duly notified in the Form N, as prescribed by the Dispensary Regulations :—

(b.) The Medical Officer is to make a report to the Committee of Management from time to time of persons successfully vaccinated or re-vaccinated by him in each year, to be made in such form and contain such particulars as the Local Government Board shall direct, and to be transmitted by the Committee to the Board of Guardians on whose minutes the report is to be recorded. (Section 3 of 21 & 22 Vic., c. 64, and section 6 of 42 & 43 Vic., c. 70.)

Medical  
Officers to  
report  
number of  
persons  
successfully  
vaccinated  
or re-vac-  
cinated.

(ii.) *Compulsory Vaccination.*

(a.) The parents and guardians of every child born after the 15th August, 1879, or the persons having the care and nurture of such child are bound *within three months*, or as soon afterwards as may be practicable, to take the child to the Dispensary District for vaccination, unless it shall have been previously vaccinated by some duly qualified Medical Practitioner and the vaccination duly certified. (Section 3 of 42 & 43 Vic., c. 70.)

Children to  
be vac-  
cinated  
within  
three  
months  
after birth.

(b.) On the same day of the week following the day on which the child has been vaccinated, the child shall be again taken to the Medical Officer by whom the operation has been performed, in order that he may ascertain by inspection the result of the operation, and, if he sees fit, take from the child lymph for the performance of other vaccinations. (Section 4 of 42 & 43 Vic., c. 70.)

Inspection  
after  
vaccination.

(c.) The penalties for the neglect or violation of the above requirements are :—a penalty not exceeding 20s. for preventing the Medical Officer from taking lymph from a child; and a penalty not exceeding 20s. for neglecting to take a child to be vaccinated or to be inspected after vaccination. (Section 7 of 42 & 43 Vic., c. 70.)

Penalty for  
neglect.

(iii.) *Certificates*—

Certificate of successful vaccination to be given to parent or guardian and duplicate to be transmitted to registrar.

(a.) A certificate of successful vaccination in a prescribed form is to be delivered by the Medical Officer (or practitioner), who shall have performed the operation to the father or the mother of the child, or to the person having the care or custody of the child. A duplicate of this certificate is to be transmitted by the Medical Officer (or practitioner):—

- (1.) To the Registrar of Births and Deaths of the District within which the birth was registered;
- (2.) but if after due inquiry such District is not known to the Medical Officer (or practitioner) or if the birth of the child has not been registered, the duplicate is to be transmitted to the Registrar of the District in which the operation was performed. (Section 5 of 42 and 43 Vic., c. 70.)

Penalty.

[A penalty of 20s. is imposed by section 8 of 42 and 43 Vic., c. 70, on the Medical Officer or practitioner who fails to perform this duty.]

Same case not to be entered in Register prescribed by Vaccination Acts and that prescribed by Dispensary Regulations.

NOTE 1.—If the Medical Officer of any Dispensary District is also the Registrar of Births and Deaths of that District, it shall be sufficient for him to sign one certificate to be delivered to the father or mother or other person as aforesaid, and to register the fact of such vaccination in the manner provided by section 7 of 26 and 27 Vic. c. 52.

2. When a Medical Officer of a District is also the Registrar of Births and Deaths of such District, it is his duty when he vaccinates a person whose birth has been registered in another district to forward a certificate of successful vaccination to the Registrar of the District in which the birth was registered, and it will be necessary for him to enter the case in the Vaccination Register, Form G, which he is required to keep by clause 8 of Article 21 of the Dispensary Regulations, instead of entering it in the Vaccination Register which is prescribed by section 7 of the Act 26 & 27 Vic. cap 52.

Certificate of infants for vaccination.

(b.) If a Medical Officer or practitioner is of opinion that any child is not in a fit and proper state to be successfully vaccinated, he may deliver a certificate to that effect, in a form prescribed, to the father or mother or the person having the care or custody of such child. This certificate is to remain in force for two months, and fresh certificates to the same effect may be given if necessary. (Section 4 of 26 and 27 Vic., cap 52.)

Certificate of insusceptibility of vaccine disease.

(c.) If any Medical Practitioner is of opinion that any child that has been vaccinated by him is insusceptible of the Vaccine Disease, he shall deliver to the father or mother or person having the care of such child a certificate to that effect in a prescribed form. (Section 6 of 26 and 27 Vic., cap 52.)

(iv.) *Duties of Registrar of Births and Deaths.*

Register of successful vaccination to be kept.

(a.) He is to keep a register of cases of successful vaccination (Section 7 of 26 and 27 Vic., c. 52), the certificates of which have been transmitted to him by any Medical practitioner. (Section 5 of 42 and 43 Vic., c. 70.)

The penalty for omitting to Register vaccination is 20s. (Section 10, 26 and 27 Vic., c. 52.)

Notice to parents and others of the requirements of vaccination.

(b.) He is to give notice of the requirements of vaccination in a prescribed form to the father or mother or person having the care of a child who has not been certified to him as having been vaccinated within three months after the birth thereof.

(Section 8 of 26 and 27 Vic., cap 52 ; section 3 of 42 and 43 Vic., cap. 70.)

**NOTE.**—In prosecution of defaulters it will not be necessary to prove that the notice was received by the defendant. (Section 9 of 42 and 43 Vic., cap. 70.)

- (c.) Every Registrar for any place who is not the Dispensary Medical Officer of the District is to transmit *once at least in every month* to each Dispensary Medical Officer whose district is wholly or partially comprised in such place a return of all births and of all deaths of infants under 12 months of age, which have since the date of the last return been registered by such Registrar as having occurred in the District of the Dispensary Medical Officer to whom the return is sent. (Section 11 of 42 and 43 Vic., c. 70.)

*Transmission to Medical Officers of list of births and deaths.*

**NOTE.**—Medical Officers who are not Registrars of Births and Deaths will thus be enabled to make out the quarterly returns of Vaccination defaulters (Form P) to the Board of Guardians.

(v.) *Miscellaneous Provisions.*

- (a.) The Medical Officer is entitled to be paid Two Shillings for every person successfully vaccinated or re-vaccinated by him within his Dispensary District, provided he has made the required report (Form H of the Dispensary Regulations) to the Committee of Management. (Section 6 of 42 and 43 Vic. c. 70.)
- (b.) Guardians may direct proceedings to be instituted for the purpose of enforcing obedience to the provisions of the Vaccination Acts. The Medical Officer of any Dispensary District who may be required by the Guardians to attend such proceedings, shall be entitled to receive, in addition to his actual expenses, such sum, not exceeding one guinea for each day's attendance required and given, as the Court shall certify ; these expenses, and all other expenses incurred in the prosecution, which the Court is of opinion should be allowed, are to be ascertained and certified by the Justices or one of them, and are then payable out of the Poor Rates of the Union. (Section 10 of 42 and 43 Vic. c. 70.)
- (c.) The practice of inoculation with small-pox virus (or the attempt to inoculate with such virus), is made punishable by six months imprisonment. (Section 4 of 31 and 32 Vic. c. 87.)

*Rate of payment for successful cases of vaccination.*

*Guardians may direct proceedings and remunerate Medical Officers.*

*Penalty upon persons inoculating with small-pox.*

#### THE MODE OF PRESERVING VACCINE LYMPH.

9. The success of vaccination in the individual case, when properly performed in all respects and under the most favourable conditions, is dependent on the quality of the lymph used in the operation. Assuming the lymph to be intrinsically good, an additional security for its taking proper effect has been found in its freshness, and hence the practice of collecting the lymph by taking it from the arm on ivory points, and distributing it in that form. To this method many practitioners still adhere.

*Collection of lymph by means of ivory points,*

Another mode of collection of the lymph now generally adopted is that of collecting it in small glass capillary tubes, invented by Dr. Husband, of Edinburgh. One material advantage of the process, although requiring more trouble and care in manipulation, is that the

*or by capillary tubes.*

quality of the lymph can be tested by microscopical examination and thus any lymph that is not faultless, so far as can be ascertained from its appearance to the eye is kept out of circulation.

Directions  
as to use of  
tubes.

The following directions as to the proper mode of using the capillary tubes in preserving the lymph have been derived from Dr. Husband's own description of the methods which he recommends.

#### DIRECTIONS FOR FILLING CAPILLARY TUBES WITH VACCINE LYMPH.

Assuming that the operator has at hand a supply of Dr. Husband's Capillary Tubes, a healthy child with a well formed and mature Vaccine Vesicle just punctured in several places, the pure lymph exuding—and a lighted candle—he is to proceed as follows:—Let him dip one end of the tube, held slightly inclined to the horizontal plane, into the lymph. This will immediately ascend in the tube. As much lymph as will suffice for one Vaccination at least should be taken, and as much as will occupy half the length of the tube may be taken. Immediately, before laying the tube down, he must now, holding it in his right hand, and turning the charged end of it upwards, bring the charge to the middle of the tube by lightly striking the hand on the wrist of the other hand, or on the table. The tube may now be laid down for 4 or 5 minutes, not longer, while others are being charged. The sealing of the tube is a very simple process to be performed as follows:—The extremity of the tube by which the lymph entered is to be applied to the flame of the candle. The glass will immediately melt and close this end of the tube hermetically. In sealing the second end an additional precaution is required. Let the tube be passed quickly into the flame for about half an inch and quickly withdrawn, and the end of it then held, as in the former case, at the flame till the melting of the glass and sealing are effected. If this precaution be not taken there is risk that the air included between this extremity of the tube and the lymph, being expanded by the heat, will force the soft glass into a bulb which will either burst on the instant, or be so extremely thin that the slightest accidental force will afterwards break it.

The charged tubes may be preserved in slips of paper with slits for securing them, on which the date of taking the lymph, the name of the infant from which it was taken, &c., may be noted.

#### SUPPLY OF LYMPH.

10. Lymph may be obtained gratuitously on personal application at the Vaccine Department of the Local Government Board, 45, Upper Sackville-street, every day between the hours of 12 and 2 o'clock, P.M.

Letters of application for lymph should be prepaid and addressed as follows:—

*To the Secretary,  
Vaccine Department,  
(Local Government Board),  
45, Upper Sackville-street,  
Dublin.*

but Practi-  
tioners  
should also  
keep up  
supply from  
their own  
practice.

Lymph is only distributed to legally qualified Medical Practitioners, and it is particularly requested that, upon written applications for lymph being made *the name and address of the applicant may be perfectly legible*. It should be understood, however, that it is not intended, in supplying lymph gratuitously to workhouses and dispensaries, to supersede or interfere with the practice of vaccination from arm to arm, where feasible, or, in the second place, the practice of storing in capillary

tubes, or otherwise, lymph, chosen by the vaccinators themselves from the best sources available, a practice which now most extensively prevails with dispensary medical officers; and every medical officer should endeavour as far as possible to keep up a supply of lymph from his own practice of vaccination, and thus avoid the necessity of too frequent applications for supplies of lymph which might cause undue pressure upon the resources of the Vaccine Department.

#### PURCHASE OF LYMPH FROM COLLECTORS.

11. Many Dispensary Medical Officers have been long accustomed to the practice of collecting and storing lymph for their own use in Husband's Capillary Tubes, and have been supplied with tubes for that purpose by the Guardians which practice it is desirable to continue.

Local Government Board will purchase lymph from Collectors appointed by them.

Should any Dispensary Medical Officer well experienced in the use of Capillary Tubes be able to collect Lymph, in excess of what he requires for his own use, it is open to him to tender it in Tubes to the Vaccine Department of the Local Government Board, receiving after examination and acceptance, the sum of one Shilling for each well filled Tube containing unexceptionable Lymph, and to become a recognised permanent Collector, if not excluded by the obvious necessity of limiting the number of such Collectors of Vaccine Lymph.

The transmission should be made in small wooden boxes, obtainable probably from the parties who supply empty Tubes for Dispensary service.

The gentlemen selected for Vaccine Collectors will be furnished with printed Forms to enable them to keep a precise record of the source from which each Tube has been filled, and so to furnish a means of investigation should any complaint of the quality of the Lymph arise.

#### 12. INSTRUCTIONS TO VACCINATORS AND SIGNS OF SUCCESSFUL VACCINATION.

##### I.—Instructions to Vaccinators.

(1.) Except so far as any immediate danger of small-pox may require, vaccinate only subjects who are in good health. As regards infants, ascertain that there is not any febrile state, nor any irritation of the bowels, nor any unhealthy state of skin; especially no chafing or eczema behind the ears, or in the groin, or elsewhere in folds of skin. Do not, except of necessity, vaccinate in cases where there has been recent exposure to the infection of measles or scarlatina, nor where erysipelas is prevailing in or about the place of residence.

Precautions to be observed before vaccination.

(2.) Vaccination from arm to arm with recent liquid lymph is, of all methods of vaccinating, by far the most satisfactory in its results. It is, therefore, desirable that vaccinators in carrying out vaccination, should as far as possible maintain such a succession of cases as will enable them, as a general rule, to operate by that method.

Vaccination from arm to arm preferable.

The preserved lymph of the Vaccine Department of the Local Government Board for Ireland is sent out as follows:—(1) Liquid in hermetically sealed capillary tubes; (2) Dry on ivory points; and the lymph preserved in these ways respectively is to be used according to the following instructions:—

(1.) In proceeding to use a charged capillary tube—snip off its two ends; then, from one end of the tube, blow the lymph through the op-

Mode of operation in

case of  
charged  
capillary  
tubes,


posite end, upon the arm of one of the infants, over the place where the operation is to be performed, having had previously, two or three other infants' arms prepared for vaccination. The lancet is then to be loaded from the drop, and inserted into the arms of the children prepared to receive it, but enough is to be left upon the original arm to vaccinate that child. Unless the tube be very copiously charged not more than two children are to be vaccinated from it. The insertion should be made in four spots as hereafter directed.

and when  
ivory points  
are used.

(2.) In operating with a charged ivory point *use no water to soften the lymph*. In this mode of vaccinating the operator should make a few scratches *just through* the cuticle, only sufficiently deep to *damp* the surface with blood. These scratches should be made in four spots, each

covering a surface about so large  at nearly one inch apart, over

the site of the insertion of the deltoid muscle. The scratches may be

abrasions of the cuticle by fine parallel lines so  or by further

cross-scratch thus  The operation may be performed on both arms

when the surface available, or the position usually selected, is of limited extent. The operator should proceed with caution, and take time. The charged point should be laid with the flat of its pointed or charged end upon the surface freshly damped by the blood, and the lymph is to be rubbed in firmly and slowly, looking at the surface of the point during the operation occasionally, till it be observed that all the lymph is off, and the ivory bare. Three or four points are sufficient for the operation. On no account should incisions be made and the point of the ivory inserted into them; and it should be borne in mind that the vaccine virus ought not to reach the subcutaneous cellular tissue. The child should be kept under observation till the spots are perfectly dry, and orders given that the arms *must not be washed*; and that they should be kept free from all pressure, hurt or irritation. The ivory points when used should be carefully washed and returned to this Office periodically. Tube boxes are also to be returned.

Precautions  
in using and  
storing  
lymph.

(3.) Never either use or furnish lymph which has in it any, even the slightest, admixture of blood. In storing lymph, be careful to keep separate the charges obtained from different subjects, and to affix to each set of charges the name, or the number in your Register, of the subject from whom the lymph was derived. Keep such note of all supplies of lymph which you use or furnish as will always enable you, in any case of complaint to identify the origin of the lymph.

Mode of  
taking  
lymph from  
the human  
subject.

(4.) Never take lymph from cases of revaccination. Take lymph only from subjects who are in good health, and, as far as you can ascertain, of healthy parentage; preferring children whose families are known to you, and who have elder brothers and sisters of undoubted healthiness. Always carefully examine the subject as to any existing skin-disease, and especially as to any signs of hereditary syphilis. Take lymph only from well-characterized, uninjured vesicles. Take it (as may be done in all regular cases on the day week after vaccination) at the stage when the vesicles are fully formed and plump, but when there is no perceptible commencement of areola. Open the vesicles with scrupulous care to avoid drawing blood. Take no lymph which, as it issues from

the vesicle, is not perfectly clear and transparent, or is at all thin and watery. Do not, under ordinary circumstances, take more lymph from a vesicle than will suffice for the immediate vaccination of five subjects or for the charging of seven ivory points, or for the filling of three capillary tubes; and from larger or smaller vesicles take only in like proportion to their size. Never squeeze nor drain any vesicle. Be careful never to transfer blood from the subject you vaccinate to the subject from whom you take lymph.

(5.) Scrupulously observe in your inspections every sign which tests the efficiency and purity of your lymph. Note any case wherein the vaccine vesicle is unduly hastened or otherwise irregular in its development, or wherein any undue local irritation arises; and if similar results ensue in other cases vaccinated with the same lymph, desist at once from employing it. Consider that your lymph ought to be changed, if your cases, at the usual time of inspection on the day week after vaccination, have not as a rule, their vesicles entirely free from areolæ.

Purity of lymph to be constantly tested.

(6.) Keep in good condition the lancets or other instruments which you use for vaccinating, and do not use them for other surgical operations. When you vaccinate, have water and a napkin at your side, with which invariably cleanse your instrument after one operation before proceeding to another.

Instruments to be kept clean.

## II.—*Signs of Successful Vaccination and of Successful Revaccination.*

(A.) When vaccination has been successfully performed on a healthy infant, the puncture may be felt elevated on the second day, and on the third, if examined with a magnifying glass, appears surrounded by a slight redness. On the fifth day a distinct vesicle is formed, having an elevated edge and depressed centre. On the eighth day it appears distended with a clear lymph. The vesicle on this, its day of greatest perfection, is circular and pearl-coloured; its margin is turgid, firm, shining and wheel-shaped. On the eighth day an inflamed ring or areolæ begins to form round the base of the vesicle, and, with it, continues to increase during the two following days. This areolæ is of a circular form, and its diameter extends from one to three inches. When at its height on the tenth day, there is often considerable hardness and swelling of the subjacent cellular membrane. On the eleventh day the areolæ begins to subside, leaving as it fades two or three concentric circles of redness. The vesicle now begins to dry in the centre, and acquires there a brownish colour. The lymph which remains becomes opaque and gradually concretes, so that about the fourteenth or fifteenth day the vesicle is converted into a hard, round scab of a reddish brown colour. This scab contracts, dries, blackens, and, about the twenty-first day, falls off. It leaves a cicatrix which is permanent in after-life, circular somewhat depressed, dotted or indented with minute pits, and in some instances, radiated. The above described local changes, while in active progress, are attended by feverishness first, from the fifth to the seventh day, so slightly that often the fact passes unobserved; and again more considerably during those days when the areolæ is about its height, the infant now being restless and hot, with more or less disturbance of stomach and bowels. About the same time, especially if the weather be hot, children of all habit not unfrequently show on the extremities, and less copiously on the trunk, a lichenous rosular or vesicular eruption, which commonly continues for about a week. When vaccination is performed on such adults or adolescents as have not previously been vaccinated

Signs of successful vaccination.

and likewise when lymph is employed which has recently been derived from the cow, the resulting phenomena as compared with the preceding description are somewhat retarded in their course and the areola is apt to be much more diffused. There is also more feverishness, but lichenous eruption is less frequently seen.

and of successful re-vaccination.

(B.) When persons who have once been efficiently vaccinated are some years afterwards revaccinated with effective lymph, there sometimes result vesicles which, as regards their course and that of the attendant areole, cannot be distinguished from the perfect results of primary vaccination. But far more usually the results are more or less modified by the influence of such previous vaccination. Often no true vesicles form, but merely papular elevations surrounded by areole, and these results having attained their maximum on or before the fifth day, afterwards quickly decline. Or if vesicles form, their shape is apt to vary from that of the regular vesicle, and their course to be more rapid, so that their maturity is reached on or before the sixth day, their areole decline on or before the eighth day, and their scabbing begins correspondingly early. In either case the areole tend to diffuse themselves more widely and less regularly and with more affection of the cellular membrane than in primary vaccination, and the local changes are accompanied by much itching, often by some irritation of the axillary glands, and in some cases on the fourth or fifth day by considerable febrile disturbance.—(*Gregory revised by Cooley and Marson.*)

#### D.—MISCELLANEOUS.

##### CUSTODY OF POISONOUS MEDICINES.

Poisonous medicines to be kept under lock and key.

14. The Local Government Board suggest that poisonous medicines should be kept under lock and key, separate from the other medicines, and that the Medical Officer should himself retain, and be responsible for the possession of the key.

##### SERVICES OF MIDWIFE.

Services of Midwife merely auxiliary to those of Medical Officer in obstetric cases.

15. A Visiting Ticket issued in the usual form in a case of Midwifery casts on the Medical Officer receiving it a full and undivided responsibility, notwithstanding the fact that a Midwife is officially employed in the District. The services of the Midwife are not intended to relieve the Medical Officer from his responsibility under the Medical Charities Act and the regulations of the Local Government Board, issued in pursuance of that Act; but they are placed at his disposal for the purpose of enabling him to relieve himself, where he can do so with safety, from the necessity of attendance in cases of Natural Labour in which no difficulty exists to demand a continued attendance on his part. The services of the Midwife are placed at the disposal of the Medical Officer, but the Midwife is not substituted for the Medical Officer, and he is entirely responsible as to the extent to which her services are to be relied on in each case.

Course to be followed when medical relief is required for women in labour.

The following course should be adopted in all cases in which Dispensary relief is required by Ticket for Women in Labour.

The Ticket should, as in other cases, be addressed to the Medical Officer, and not to the Midwife.

The Ticket should be presented to the Medical Officer, who should register it, and ascertain by minute inquiry—or, if it should appear necessary, by visit to the Patient—that the case is one of Natural Labour.



If it should appear on such inquiry or visit that the case is likely to be attended with any difficulty or danger, the Medical Officer will of course take charge of the case himself; but if he is satisfied that it is one of Natural Labour, he should send written or printed instructions to the Midwife requiring her attendance on the case so long as it shall proceed naturally, and directing her, that should anything out of the course of nature, or dangerous, arise in the case, she is immediately to call for his assistance.

If in any case the Midwife finds it necessary to call for the assistance of the Medical Officer, in pursuance to such instruction, and should intimate the same to him, he must immediately take charge of the case, and continue in charge of the patient until her recovery or the termination of the case.

On the termination of those cases in which the assistance of the Medical Officer has not been called for, the Midwife should report the result to the Medical Officer for Registration.

Report by Midwife of result of labour cases for Registration.

#### OPHTHALMIA IN NEW-BORN INFANTS.

16. A Committee of the Ophthalmological Society have recently reported, as the result of inquiries they have made, that there is reason to suppose, so far as they have been able to ascertain, that 30 per cent. of all blind persons in the United Kingdom have lost their sight from the results of the Ophthalmia of new born infants. This species of Ophthalmia appears to be caused by acid discharges coming into contact with the conjunctiva at the time of birth, or subsequently to result from the exposure of the new-born infant to cold.

Blindness resulting from Ophthalmia at birth.

It is suggested that when a Medical Officer is in attendance on a woman in child-birth, he should be careful to see that the child's eyes are carefully washed immediately after birth, and that he should give directions that the child shall be protected as far as is practicable from currents of cold air; it would also be desirable that the parents should be instructed that on the slightest appearance of inflammation indicated by red or swollen eyelids, the child ought to be brought to the Medical Officer for treatment without a moment's delay, as the disease is most dangerous, and if proper treatment be not adopted the sight of one or both eyes may be lost.

Treatment of such cases.

#### ATTENDANCE ON FEVER PATIENTS.

17. It should be observed that a Medical Officer has not discharged himself of all responsibility of further attendance upon a patient suffering from fever, on whose behalf a visiting ticket has been presented to him after he has once visited and recommended the removal of the patient to a Fever Hospital.

Medical Officer to continue to visit Fever Patient until cancellation of ticket.

Section 9 of the Medical Charities Act provides, that "every Member of the Dispensary Committee, and every Relieving Officer and Warden acting for an Electoral Division included in such Dispensary District, shall have power to afford Medical Relief by the issue of a ticket in such Form as the said Commissioners shall prescribe, addressed to the Medical Officer of the District, directing him to afford Medicine and Advice to, or attend any poor person resident therein; and it shall be the duty of the Medical Officer to afford Medicine and Advice, and to attend such poor person as thereby directed;" and the Dispensary Regulations require that the Medical Officer "shall duly and punctually attend

upon, either at the Dispensary during the appointed hours for attendance thereat, or at the home of the party on whose behalf application is made, or elsewhere as the case may require, and supply all requisite Medical or Surgical Advice and assistance to every poor person in the District, or Division of a District under his charge," on whose behalf a ticket in the prescribed form has been presented; and a Medical Officer of a Dispensary District will be held responsible for the due performance of this duty so long as the case requires his attention, or until the ticket shall have been cancelled in the manner provided for by the 9th section of the Medical Charities Act.

#### REPORT TO BE MADE IN THE EVENT OF DISEASE THREATENING TO BECOME EPIDEMIC.

Report to Local Government Board in cases of Epidemics.

18. In the event of the occurrence of cases of any dangerous contagious disease in any Dispensary District in such numbers as to give reasonable ground to apprehend that it may become epidemic, the Medical Officer of such district shall address a Report of the facts to the Local Government Board so as to enable them to call upon the Board of Guardians without delay, to make such special provision as may be necessary to prevent or mitigate the evil.

#### LABELS.

Directions for use of Medicines prescribed to be given by means of printed labels.

Labels to be ordered by their number in catalogue.

19. With a view to the greater security of the patient, and the convenience of the Medical Officer, the directions for the use of the medicines prescribed, should be given by means of Silverlock's printed labels, rather than by requiring the Medical Officer to write them in each instance.

It will be necessary for the Medical Officer, in making his requisitions from time to time, for Labels required, to specify the particular forms of Label, and the quantity of each that he requires; and in order to enable him to do so, a copy of the Catalogue should be obtained by application to the parties that may be selected by the Guardians to supply them; and the Medical Officer should either mark in the Catalogue the forms he requires, and the quantity of each, or should furnish a list of the forms of Label (referring to them by their distinguishing numbers in the Catalogue), with the quantities required.

#### ESTIMATE AND REQUISITION FOR MEDICINES.

Particulars to be given in Form of Estimate—refer exclusively to the medicines required at the time when Estimate is made.

Three months supply of

20. With regard to the periodical Estimate and Requisition for Medicines, &c. (Forms M 1 and 2), it appears to have been in some cases supposed that, on each occasion when an Estimate is sent in, it should contain an account of *all the articles in the Dispensary*, which would involve the necessity of taking stock of the entire contents of the Dispensary on every such occasion. The heading of the Form of Estimate (M 1) is, "Estimate of Medicines, &c., required;" and the particulars indicated in the Form need only be filled up (in accordance with Article 16, No. vi., and Article 21, No. vi., of the Regulations) in reference to those Medicines, &c., *of which a further supply is required*, stating in the respective columns for the purpose the stock remaining (which can be estimated as nearly as may be), respectively, and the further quantity required.

In drawing up a Requisition for Medicines, the Medical Officer should only apply for quantities sufficient for use during the following three

months. He should keep in mind that many Medicines are of such a perishable nature that they deteriorate in quality, and even become inert by long keeping.

The Estimates and Requisitions for Medicines are to be made out in duplicate, one copy for transmission to the Guardians, and one to be retained at the Dispensary for comparison with the supply afterwards received, the Invoice of which the Commissioners have requested the Clerk of the Union to forward to the Medical Officer, to be retained and filed at the Dispensary in all cases.

With a view to render Leeches as efficacious as possible for Dispensary use, as well as on the ground of economy, the Local Government Board recommend, for the consideration of the Board of Guardians, the propriety of contracting for the supply of Leeches whenever practicable, with some Apothecary or Druggist residing in the Union, from whom they could be procured without much delay, and at such times as they may be required.

In ordering Medicines and in the inspection of them when received, the Medical Officer should bear in mind that all solids should be ordered by weight, and all liquids by Imperial Measure, and that the preparations should be made in strict accordance with the last edition of the *British Pharmacopæia*.

In the event of a Medical Officer requiring to be supplied with any Medicine not comprised in the List, a distinct requisition for such Medicine should be made by the Medical Officer, through the Committee of Management, stating the circumstances which are considered to render the requisition necessary.

The following list of Medicines has been compiled from the last edition of the *British Pharmacopæia*. In making selections, some high-priced Medicines which are frequently variable in quality have been omitted, but less expensive remedies having similar powers have been retained.

No.	Name of Articles required.	Remaining on hand.	Quantity now required.
1	Acacia Gummi.		
2	Acetum Cautaridis.		
3	" Scellæ.		
4	Addum Aceticum.		
5	" Benzolicum.		
6	" Boricum.		
7	" Carbolicum Liquidum.		
8	" Gallicum.		
9	" Hydrobromicum Dilutum.		
10	" Hydrochloricum.		
11	" Hydrocyanicum Dilutum.		
12	" Lacticum Dilutum.		
13	" Nitricum.		
14	" Nitro Hydrochloricum Dilutum.		
15	" Phosphoricum Dilutum.		
16	" Salicylicum.		
17	" Sulphuricum.		
18	" Sulphuricum Aromaticum.		
19	" Sulphureum.		
20	" Tannicum.		
21	" Tartaricum.		
22	Adeps Preparatus.		
23	Æther.		
24	" Aceticus.		
25	Aloe Barbadosis.		

No.	Name of Articles required.	Remaining on hand.	Quantity now required.
26	Alumen.		
27	Ammonii Benzoas.		
28	" Carbonas.		
29	Ammonie Liquor.		
30	Ammonii Acetatis Liquor.		
31	" Phosphas.		
32	Ammonie Spiritus Aromaticus.		
33	Ammonii Bromidum.		
34	" Chloridum.		
35	Amyli Nitr.		
36	Amylum.		
37	Anthemidis Flores.		
38	Antimonium Sulphuratum.		
39	" Tartaratum.		
40	Aqua Distillata.		
41	Argentii Nitras.		
42	" et Potassii Nitras.		
43	Arsenicis Liquor.		
44	Asafetida.		
45	Atropine Sulphatis Liquor.		
46	Balsamum Tolutanum.		
47	Bismuthi et Ammonii Citras.		
48	" Citras.		
49	" Subnitras.		
50	Borax.		
51	Ethyl-Chloral Hydras.		
52	Caffeina.		
53	Caffeina Citras.		
54	Calamina Preparata.		
55	Calcii Hypophosphas.		
56	" Carbonas precipitata.		
57	" Chloridum.		
58	Camphora.		
59	Carbo Ligni.		
60	Carui Fructus.		
61	Cera flava.		
62	Charta Epispastica.		
63	" Sinapis.		
64	Chloral Hydras.		
65	Chloroformi Spiritus.		
66	Chloroformum.		
67	Cinchonae cortex.		
68	Cinchonidine Sulphas.		
69	Cinchonine Sulphas.		
70	Cocaine Hydrochloras.		
71	" Lamelle.		
72	Collodium Flexile.		
73	" Vesicans.		
74	Copaiba.		
75	Cressatum.		
76	Creta Preparata.		
77	Cuba.		
78	Cupri Sulphas.		
79	Emplastrum adhaesivum, spread on calico.		
80	" Ammoniaci cum Hydrargyro.		
81	" Belladonnae.		
82	" Calcificans, spread on calico.		
83	" Cantharidis.		
84	" Hydrargyri.		
85	" Saponis, spread on calico.		
86	Ergotinum.		
87	Essentia Anisi.		
88	" Menthae Piperitis.		
89	Extractum Belladonnae.		

No.	Name of Articles required.	Remaining on hand.	Quantity now required.
90	Extractum Cinchonæ Liquidum.		
91	" Cascara Sagrada Liquidum.		
92	" Ergotæ Liquidum.		
93	" Filici Liquidum.		
94	" Gentianæ.		
95	" Hyoscyami.		
96	" Jaborandi.		
97	" Krameriæ.		
98	" Nucis Vomica.		
99	" Pareire Liquidum.		
100	" Physostigmatis.		
101	" Sarsæ Liquidum.		
102	" Stramonii.		
103	" Taraxaci Liquidum.		
104	Ferri Carbonas Saccharata.		
105	" Iodidi Syrupus.		
106	" et Quinina Citras.		
107	" Syrupus Phosphatis.		
108	" Sulphas.		
109	Ferrum Tartaratum.		
110	Funiculi Fructus.		
111	Gentianæ Radix.		
112	Glycerinum.		
113	Glycerinum Plumbi Subacetatis.		
114	Hamatoxyli Lignum.		
115	Hirudo.		
116	Hydrargyrum.		
117	" cum Creta.		
118	Hydrargyri Perchloridum (corrosive sublimate).		
119	" Subchloridum (calomel).		
120	Hyoscyami Folia.		
121	Injectio Ergotini Hypodermica.		
122	" Morphinae do.		
123	Iodum.		
124	Iodoformum.		
125	Jakapa.		
126	Kamala.		
127	Lini Farina.		
128	Lini Semina.		
129	Liniamentum Camphoræ comp.		
130	" Crotonis.		
131	" Iodi.		
132	" Saponis.		
133	" Terebinthinæ.		
134	Liquor Ammonii Acetatis.		
135	" Do. Citratis.		
136	" Arsenii et Hydrargyri Iodidi.		
137	" Epispastica.		
138	" Ferri Acetatis.		
139	" Do. Perchloridi fortior.		
140	" Do. Pernitricæ.		
141	" Magnesi Citratis.		
142	" Do. Carbonatis.		
143	" Potassii Permanganatis.		
144	" Strychnina Hydrochloratis.		
145	Lithii Citras.		
146	Litmus paper, blue and red, in books.		
147	Magnesia levis.		
148	" ponderosa.		
149	Magnesi Carbonas levis.		
150	" Do. ponderosa.		
151	" Sulphas.		
152	Manna.		
153	Morphinae Hydrochloras.		

No.	Name of Articles required.	Remaining on hand.	Quantity now required.
154	Oleum Hydrargyri.		
155	" Zinci.		
156	Oleum Cajupati.		
157	" Crotonis.		
158	" Cubebe.		
159	" Lili.		
160	" Morrhuae.		
161	" Oliva.		
162	" Ricini.		
163	" Terebinthinae.		
164	Opii Pulvis (specifying kind, as Turkey, &c.)		
165	Papaveris Capsulae.		
166	Pilocarpinae Nitras.		
167	Pilula Aloes et Asafoetidae, in mass.		
168	Do. coated, per gross or portion of gross.		
169	" Aloes Composita, in mass.		
170	Do. coated, per gross or portion of gross.		
171	" Aloes et Ferri, in mass.		
172	Do. coated, per gross or portion of gross.		
173	" Aloes et Myrrhor, in mass.		
174	Do. coated, per gross or portion of gross.		
175	" Colecyntbidae Composita, in mass.		
176	Do. coated, per gross or portion of gross.		
177	" Colecyntbidae et Hyocyanini, in mass.		
178	Do. coated, per gross or portion of gross.		
179	" Hydrargyri, in mass.		
180	Do. coated, per gross or portion of gross.		
181	" Hydrargyri Subchloridi Composita, in mass.		
182	Do. coated, per gross or portion of gross.		
183	" Ipecacuanhae cum Scilla, in mass.		
184	Do. coated, per gross or portion of gross.		
185	" Plumbi cum Opio, in mass.		
186	Do. coated, per gross or portion of gross.		
187	" Rhei Composita, in mass.		
188	Do. coated, per gross or portion of gross.		
189	" Saponis Composita, in mass.		
190	Do. coated, per gross or portion of gross.		
191	Scillae Composita, in mass.		
192	Do. coated, per gross or portion of gross.		
193	Plumbi Acetas.		
194	" Subacetatis Liquor.		
195	Podophylli Rhizoma.		
196	Potassa Caustica.		
197	" Sulphurata.		
198	Potassii Acetas.		
199	" Bicarbonas.		
200	" Carbonas.		
201	" Chloras.		
202	" Cyandium.		
203	" Liquor.		
204	" Nitras.		
205	" Permanganas.		
206	" Sulphas.		
207	" Tartas.		
208	" Tartas Acidu.		
209	Potassii Bromidum.		
210	" Iodidum.		
211	Pulvis Acaciae Gummi.		
212	" Asafoetidis.		
213	" Calmabe.		
214	" Capsici Fractus.		
215	" Catechu Compositas.		
216	" Cinnamomi Compositus.		
217	" Croci Aromaticus.		

No.	Name of Articles required.	Remaining on hand.	Quantity now required.
218	Pulvis Creta Aromaticus cum Opio.		
219	" Elaterini Compositus.		
220	" Gallic.		
221	" Glycyrrhizæ Compositus.		
222	" Ipecacuanhæ.		
223	" " Compositus.		
224	" Jalapæ.		
225	" " Compositus.		
226	" Kino Compositus.		
227	" Opil Compositus.		
228	" Rhei (East Indian).		
229	" Rhei Compositus.		
230	" Scammonii Compositus.		
231	" Zingiberis.		
232	Quassia Lignum.		
233	Quinina Sulphas.		
234	Quercus Cortex.		
235	Resina.		
236	Saccharum purificatum.		
237	Salicinum.		
238	Sella Oxymel.		
239	Scoparii Cocumina.		
240	Santoninum.		
241	Sapo durus.		
242	" mollis.		
243	Sassa Radix.		
244	Senega Radix.		
245	Senna Indica.		
246	Sinapis.		
247	Soda Tartarata.		
248	Sodæ Bicarbonas.		
249	" Bromidum.		
250	" Carbonas.		
251	" Citro-Tartarus Effervescens.		
252	" Phosphas.		
253	" Salicylas.		
254	Spiritus Ætheris Compositus.		
255	" Ætheris Nitrosi.		
256	" Juniperi.		
257	" Rectificatus (S. G. 0-838).		
258	Stramonii Folia.		
259	Sulphur Sublimatum.		
260	Suppositoria Iodoformi.		
261	" Morphine.		
262	Theriac.		
263	Tinctura Aconiti.		
264	" Aloes.		
265	" Amiacæ.		
266	" Asafetida.		
267	" Aurantii.		
268	" Benzoini Composita.		
269	" Bchu.		
270	" Calumbæ.		
271	" Camphoræ Composita.		
272	" Cannabis Indica.		
273	" Cantharidis.		
274	" Capsici.		
275	" Cardamomi Composita.		
276	" Cascarilla.		
277	" Catechu.		
278	" Cinchonæ Composita.		
279	" Colchici serotinum.		
280	" Digitalis.		
281	" Ergotæ.		

No.	Name of Articles required.	Resolving on hand.	Quantity now required.
282	Tinctura Ferri Acetatis.		
283	" Gentiana Composita.		
284	" Gualaci Ammoniacata.		
285	" Hyoscyami.		
286	" Iodi.		
287	" Jalapa.		
288	" Kino.		
289	" Krameria.		
290	" Lariis.		
291	" Lavandula Composita.		
292	" Lobelia.		
293	" Myrrha.		
294	" Nucis Vomica.		
295	" Opii.		
296	" Opii Ammoniacata.		
297	" Perchloridi Ferri.		
298	" Podophylli.		
299	" Quassia.		
300	" Rhei.		
301	" Scilla.		
302	" Senega.		
303	" Sassa.		
304	" Sambul.		
305	" Tolatana.		
306	" Valeriana.		
307	" " Ammoniacata.		
308	" Zingiberis.		
309	Trochisci Santonini.		
310	Unguentum Acidi Carbolici.		
311	" Acidi Salicylici.		
312	" Antimoni Tartarati.		
313	" Calaminis.		
314	" Elemi.		
315	" Galba.		
316	" Hydnargyri.		
317	" " Ammoniacata.		
318	" " Nitratu Dilutum.		
319	" " Oxidi Rubri.		
320	" Iodi.		
321	" Iodoformi.		
322	" Pice Liquidis.		
323	" Plumbi Iodidi.		
324	" " Acetatis.		
325	" Potassii Iodidi.		
326	" Resina.		
327	" Sabina.		
328	" Sulphuris.		
329	" Veratrina.		
330	" Zinci.		
331	Uvae ursi Folia.		
332	Valeriana Rhizoma.		
333	Vinum Antimoniale.		
334	" Ferri.		
335	" Ipecacuanha.		
336	" Opii.		
337	Zinci Acetas.		
338	" Carbonas.		
339	" Chloridum.		
340	" Oxidum.		
341	" Sulphas.		
342	" Valeriana.		



No.	Name of Articles required.	Remaining on hand.	Quantity now required.
<b>A.—SURGICAL INSTRUMENTS.</b>			
343	Pocket Case containing:—		
344	Bistoury, with Spring Back.		
345	Gum Lancet		
346	Scalpel		
347	Tenaculum		
348	Crustic Case of Vulcanized India Rubber.		
349	Pocket Case containing:		
350	Director, Electro-plated.		
351	Dressing Forceps.		
352	Lancets for Vaccinating and Bleeding.		
353	Ligature Silk—one skein.		
354	Needles, Triangular and Curved—1 doz.		
355	Probe.		
356	Seton Needle.		
357	Scissors.		
358	Bongles.		
359	Ear Syringe (Brass), 4 oz., 2 rings.		
360	Enema Syringe, with stomach and rectum Tubes.		
361	Forceps for Canine Teeth.		
362	" Bicuspid and Molar.		
363	Gum-elastic Catheters.		
364	Hypodermic Injection Case.		
365	Midwifery Instruments.		
366	Pessaries.		
367	Probang.		
368	Splint Wood, scored and plain.		
369	Syringes, Common Pewter.		
370	" " Glass.		
371	Thermometer (clinical).		
372	Trusses, single.		
373	" double.		
374	Urinometer and Six Glass Test Tubes.		
<b>B.—OTHER REQUISITES.</b>			
374	Sponge,		
375	Lint.		
376	French Wadding.		
377	Calico for bandages and plasters.		
378	Pill Boxes—card and wooden.		
379	Weights, quarter of grain to one ounce.		
380	Scales.		
381	Twine.		
382	Towels.		
383	Jug and Basin.		
384	Tow.		
385	Corks.		
386	Corkscrew.		
387	Labels—(Silverlock and Co.'s).		
388	Paper—brown and white.		
389	Bleeding Cups—(tin).		
390	Scissors—large and small.		
391	Bones Knives.		
392	Spreading spatula—large and small.		
393	Pill Tube.		
394	Ointment Flag.		
395	Pestles and Mortar.		
396	Funnels (delf).		
397	Glass Measures (8 oz. and 2 oz., graduated).		
398	Minim Measures.		
399	Water Jar, with cock.		
400	Methylated Spirit.		

No.	Name of Articles required.	Remaining on hand.	Quantity now required.
401	Infant Feeding Bottles.		
402	Enema-fistule and blockers.		
403	Leeches		
404	12 pots for Pill-masses, with covers.		
405	12 pots for Ointments, with covers.		
406	12 8 oz. Tincture Bottles.		
407	12 4 oz. Tincture Bottles.		
408	24 Powder bottles, wide mouthed, with ground stoppers.		
409	Phials, ounce, 2 ounces, 4 ounces, 8 ounces.		
410	1 large and 1 small infusion pot.		
411	A large Ladle and Spatula.		
412	Soap.		
413	3 Sauscepans.		
414	Air-tight Bottles to hold coated Pills, 12 oz.		
415	" " " 8 "		
416	" " " 4 "		
417	Cotton Wool.		
418	French Wadding.		
419	Filtering Paper.		
420	Vaccination Tubes		

Local Government Board,

Dublin, 3rd November, 1885.

### III.—CIRCULARS RELATING TO THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT ACT AND THE PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

#### No. 1.—CHOLERA HOSPITALS.—(IRELAND), ACT, 1885.

Local Government Board, Dublin,

11th August, 1885.

SIR,

I am directed by the Local Government Board for Ireland to forward herewith, for the information of the Urban Sanitary Authority, a copy of an Act of Parliament dated 31st July, 1885, which has received the Royal assent, and which will remain in operation until the 1st of May, 1886, authorising Sanitary Authorities under circumstances described in the Act to take possession of land required for the erection of temporary Cholera Hospitals.

I am, sir, your obedient servant,

W. D. WODESWORTH, Secretary.

To the Executive Sanitary Officer of  
each Urban Sanitary District,  
and certain Rural Districts.

#### No. 2.—HOUSING OF the WORKING CLASSES ACT, 1885.

Local Government Board, Dublin,

26th August, 1885.

SIR,

I am directed by the Local Government Board for Ireland to forward herewith, for the information of the Sanitary Authority, a copy of an Act dated 14th August, 1885, to amend the law relating to dwellings of the working classes.

Under the provisions of this Act the Labouring Classes Lodging Houses Acts, 1851 to 1867, may be adopted for any Urban Sanitary

District by the Urban Sanitary Authority of such District in accordance with section 8 of the Public Health (Ireland) Act, 1878.

The expression "Lodging Houses for the Labouring Classes" when used in the Acts from 1851 to 1867 is to include separate houses or cottages, and half an acre of ground may be attached to each cottage conditionally.

Lands for the purposes of the Act may be acquired otherwise than by agreement by means of the powers contained in the Public Health (Ireland) Act, 1878.

The Artizans and Labourers Dwellings Improvement Acts, 1875, to 1882 are extended to all Urban Sanitary Districts.

By-Laws as to Lodging Houses, other than common Lodging Houses, may now be made, subject to the approval of the Local Government Board, without the previous publication in the *Gazette* required by Section 100 of the Public Health Act, 1878.

New powers are conferred upon all Sanitary Authorities with respect to "tents, vans, sheds, or similar structures used for human habitation" and these powers extend to making By-Laws for promoting cleanliness therein, and for preventing the spread of infectious disease by the persons inhabiting the same, and generally for the prevention of nuisances in connexion with the same.

Town Commissioners not being the Urban Sanitary Authority, may still adopt the provisions of the Labouring Classes Lodging Houses and Dwellings (Ireland) Act, 1866.

Section 7 enjoins on every Sanitary Authority the duty of enforcing from time to time as occasion may arise, the powers with which they are invested, so as to secure the proper sanitary condition of all premises within the area under the control of such authority.

I am, sir, your obedient servant,

W. D. WODSWORTH, Secretary.

To the Executive Sanitary Officer  
of the Sanitary Authority.

### NO. 3.—LABOURING CLASSES LODGING HOUSES and DWELLINGS ACT (IRELAND), 1866, and AMENDING ACT of 1867.

Local Government Board, Dublin,  
9th September, 1885.

SIR,

I am directed by the Local Government Board for Ireland to forward herewith for the information of the Town Commissioners copies of "The Labouring Classes Lodging Houses and Dwellings Act (Ireland) 1866," and of the amending Act of 1867.

Under the provisions of "The Housing of the Working Classes Act," dated the 14th August, 1885, of which a copy is annexed, Town Commissioners, not being the Urban Sanitary Authority, may still adopt the Act of 1866 above-mentioned, in the manner therein prescribed.

I am, sir, your obedient servant,

W. D. WODSWORTH, Secretary.

To the Clerk, to the Town Commissioners of———

No. 4.—EXAMINATION by MEDICAL OFFICERS of HEALTH of SHIPS coming from places INFECTED with CHOLERA.

Local Government Board, Dublin,  
10th September, 1885.

Sir,

I am directed by the Local Government Board for Ireland to inform the Sanitary Authority that the Board have been requested by the Local Authorities of one of the Seaport Towns in Ireland to order that every vessel coming from a place infected with Cholera shall be detained by the Coast Guard or Officer of Customs in the same manner that these Officers may now detain a vessel suspected to be infected with Cholera under Article 2 of the General Order of the 16th of July, 1883.

Having carefully considered this question, the Local Government Board have arrived at the conclusion that it is not necessary, at present, to make the rule respecting the detention of vessels by the Coast Guard or Officer of Customs more stringent than that prescribed by the Order referred to, but the Board think it desirable to direct the attention of the Sanitary Authority to the 8th Article of the Order which provides that the Medical Officer of Health shall visit and examine any Ship if he has reason to believe that she is infected with Cholera, and may visit and examine any Ship coming from a place infected with Cholera; and I am to state that it is within the discretion of the Sanitary Authority to direct their Medical Officer of Health to visit and examine every Ship coming from any infected place, and that, in the opinion of the Board, the Sanitary Authority would act with prudence in so doing.

I am, sir, your obedient servant,

W. D. WODSWORTH, Secretary.

To the Executive Officer,

Sanitary Authority.

## APPENDIX C.

### CORRESPONDENCE, &c.

#### L.—PROPOSED AMALGAMATION OF NEWPORT UNION.

##### REPORT AND EVIDENCE, WITH APPENDICES.

Dublin, 5th November, 1884.

GENTLEMEN,—In obedience to the instructions conveyed to me in your letter, bearing date the 14th June, 1884, I have made careful inquiry into the proposal of the Board of Guardians of the Newport Union, to amalgamate their Union with the adjoining Unions of Westport, Castlebar, and Belmullet, and I have now the honour to submit for your consideration the following report:—

As the proposition of the Guardians, which I have now to lay before your Board, has reference to the abolition of a Union which has been in existence for thirty-four years, it is desirable, in the first place, that the causes which led to the original formation of the Union should be fully understood, and I will, therefore, classify the subject-matter of this report into three heads, and will refer—

- I. To the formation of the Union, and its position and circumstances at the present time.
- II. To the various schemes of amalgamation which have been put forward, together with a statement of their probable financial result; and
- III. To the prospects of the Newport Union, and to any considerations which may assist your Board in forming a conclusion as to the expediency or otherwise of the proposed amalgamation.

## I.

At the time of the first introduction of the Poor Law to county Mayo, the district comprising the entire of the present Newport Union, with the exception of Glenhest Electoral Division,\* was included in the original Westport Union. The question of forming the Newport District into a separate Union appears to have been at first under consideration, but it was finally deemed inadvisable, the Assistant Commissioner, who was engaged in the formation of the Westport Union, stating his opinion that—

"This district, though extensive in area, is insufficient in point of wealth and population to justify me in recommending it to be formed into a separate Union."

Thus these districts were united in one Union in 1840, and it was then considered that in no part of the county of Mayo was Poor Law administration more urgently needed than in this Westport Union.

"Periodical scarcities," reported the Assistant Commissioner, "occur more frequently here than in other parts of Ireland. . . . I believe poverty will be found to prevail to a greater extent in this than in any of the other Unions in the county of Mayo."

The condition of the poorer classes of Newport District at that time, I gather from the official records, must have been very deplorable. Very little restriction had been placed upon the sub-division of holdings, and there was consequently an immense cottier population with practically nothing but the potato crop to depend upon; the demand for labour was inadequate and uncertain, fishing was resorted to to a comparatively trifling extent, and the clothing, food, and surroundings of the peasantry presented a picture of filth, squalor, and poverty that happily no longer exists.

The famine of 1846 and 1847 proved the correctness of the Assistant Commissioner's surmises. In no part of Ireland was the distress more intense and overwhelming than in Westport Union, and in no part of Westport Union was greater suffering apparent than in the Electoral Divisions comprising the present Newport Union.

The experiences of these famine years led persons in authority to believe that under existing circumstances many Unions were too large for the convenient and effectual administration of relief, it having been found that great hardship and in some instances loss of life resulted in Westport and other Unions from the distance the poor had to travel during the pressure for relief, and this fact, together with the difficulty that was felt in applying the Workhouse test in large Unions since the passing of the Out-door Relief Extension Act, led to the appointment of the Boundary Commission in 1848, for the purpose of inquiring what new Unions it would be desirable to form.

At the time these Commissioners entered on their labours the distress had passed its intensity in many parts of Ireland, but among the Unions in the South and West there was no improvement in the circumstances of the people, and I find references to the condition of the Westport Union at that date, in the papers relating to distress in Ireland, which I quote in order to give an idea of its poverty when the question of forming Newport District into a separate Union was under consideration.

The Vice-Guardians in their report to the Poor Law Commissioners of the 11th December, 1848, say—

"We have cancelled twelve cases, which now leaves a total on out-door relief of 7,588."

\* This Electoral Division was transferred from Castlebar to Newport in 1858.

And they add, in referring to the "growing destitution of food, clothing, and fuel," that—

"We greatly fear that the misery of the poor will [much exceed what was experienced last year."

The Poor Law Commissioners, in a letter dated the 16th December, 1848, cite the Westport Union as illustrative of an extreme case of the desperate financial position of some of the Western Unions, and they append a statistical statement of the financial position of the Union, from which it appears that the expenditure for the year ending 29th September, 1844, was £31,444, and that in the Achill Electoral Division it would have become necessary, if it were possible, to levy a rate of 41s. to the £.

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With such a state of things as this the Boundary Commissioners had to deal in the case of Westport Union, and it is not to be wondered at that of the fifty Unions they recommended, the seventh in point of urgency was the present Newport Union.

The Boundary Commissioners in their Report made no separate reference to Newport or any particular Union, but they briefly laid down the general principles upon which they formed their conclusions. The necessity for increased Workhouse accommodation, the pressure of applicants for relief, the long distances that had to be travelled by vast numbers of people residing in remote parts of some Unions—all these were important elements of consideration—and the fundamental object to be attained appeared to be to place the Workhouse within easy reach of all parts of the Union, so as to facilitate the removal of paupers and the application of the Workhouse test, and to ensure a constant attendance of Guardians at meetings of the Board; and the Commissioners saw every reason to hope that—

"As the main object of these smaller Unions is the more vigilant administration of the law with a view to the prevention of abuses, the expenses of building and establishment to be incurred by the additional houses may be saved by the greater economy which can be exercised in the administration of relief."

As at this time the assessment which had to be made under the Poor Laws was confined exclusively to the amount necessary for the relief of the poor, the Commissioners were able to closely adhere to their principle of a reduced area without being disturbed by apprehensions of its being insufficient for the purposes of taxation.

But although it was obvious that the principal beneficial results to be derived from the limited area were contingent upon the Workhouse being situated in a central position and within easy reach of all parts of the Union, it was ultimately found that there was no alternative but to erect the Newport Union Workhouse immediately outside the town. Newport being the only market town in the Union, supplies could not have been conveniently obtained or the attendance of Guardians expected elsewhere. Here the Workhouse was accordingly built in 1851, three miles from the eastern side of the Union, and twenty-four miles from the western side, and only six miles from the parent house at Westport.

Thus it will be seen that the Newport Union is exceptionally situated, and although increased accommodation was afforded by the erection of this Workhouse, the advantages that would have been gained by a strict adherence to the Boundary Commissioners' principles were not effectually assured to the Achill and Ballycroy districts; indeed the position of these districts in regard to their Workhouse was very little improved by the change.

The country having recovered from the depression of the famine years, the new Union was found at first to work satisfactorily, and the expenditure that was required for the relief of the poor was levied off the smaller area without imposing an undue burden on the ratepayers. But of recent years the cost of Poor Law administration has greatly increased. It is impossible now to obtain the services of competent officials at the same rate of remuneration as in 1850. Everywhere prices have risen; the average weekly cost at which paupers are maintained has increased from 1s. 2d. to 3s. 11½d., and in the Newport Union contract prices have increased to a greater extent than in Westport or in any of the adjoining Unions. A reference to the table in the appendix (No. 1), showing the relative price of provisions and necessaries in Newport and Westport, may account in a great measure for the paupers in the latter Workhouse being maintained at over £2 per head per annum less than they are in the Workhouse at Newport.

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Then again, additional duties, which could not have been foreseen by the Boundary Commissioners when adjusting the area of taxation, have been imposed on the Poor Law authorities by various necessary enactments, and the area which, although a limited one, might have borne any legitimate Poor Law expenditure without difficulty, is now charged with expenses under the Registration Acts, Contagious Diseases Acts, Sanitary Acts, Explosives Acts, Medical Charities and Vaccination Acts, Burial Acts, and others—which have increased the expenditure three-fold since the Union was formed.

A table of the pauperism and expenditure of the union for the past twenty-five years will be found in the appendix (No. 2), from which it will be seen that, although there has been no appreciable increase in the indoor pauperism since 1858, the expenditure, exclusive of the cost of outdoor relief, has increased from £1,184 to £4,232.\*

It will not be necessary for me to touch upon the embarrassments of the Union in 1878 and 1879, or the circumstances which led to the dissolution of the Board and the appointment of paid Guardians, but I must recall to your recollection the rates that would have been necessary to meet the liabilities and requirements of the financial years ending 29th September, 1882, 1883, and 1884.

These were as follows:—

	1881-2.	1882-3.	1883-4.
	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
Achill, . . . . .	7 9½	3 11	5 11½
Ballycroy, North, . . . . .	5 4½	3 11	5 7½
Ballycroy, South, . . . . .	7 7½	6 8	7 6
Corraun, . . . . .	10 4½	5 11	8 4½
Derrylonghan, . . . . .	4 8½	3 1	5 11½
Doega, . . . . .	6 1½	4 4	8 3½
Glenhest, . . . . .	8 5½	2 4	5 9
Newport, East, . . . . .	5 1½	4 8	6 9½
Newport, West, . . . . .	4 3½	4 0	6 1
Silkenmore, . . . . .	7 10	5 1	8 9½
Stramore, . . . . .	3 11	3 7	6 4

During these years it would have been impossible to collect rates of such magnitude owing to the distress and scarcity of money in the country. The landlords were not receiving their rents, and the tenants were suffering from a partial failure of their crops and other adverse circumstances. Your Board accordingly directed the levying of as high

\* This is the actual increase in the expenditure, as taken from the Local Government Board's Annual Reports. It is not probable, however, that the expenditure in an ordinary year will exceed £3,000. On this subject see page 177.

a rate as it was thought possible to collect, and when the funds of the Union were exhausted, grants were made, as follows, under the Relief of Distress Acts, to enable the Guardians to defray the cost of relieving the poor.

I. Under the Relief of Distress Amendment Act, 1880—

	£	s.	d.
1881, . . .	500	0	0
" . . .	500	0	0
" . . .	2,183	6	8
1882, . . .	200	0	0
	3,683	6	8

II. Under the Relief of Distressed Unions Act—

1883, . . .	1,855	0	0
Total, . . .	5,538	6	8

The principle of making these free grants was felt at the time to be injurious to a certain extent, but there was unfortunately no other alternative. The contractors for supplies to the Union were demanding payment and threatening to stop supplies. The Guardians had overdrawn considerably their Treasurer's account, their cheques were dishonoured, and they would have been unable to keep the Relieving Officers in funds for administering relief, or to have carried on their duties during the prevalence of unusual destitution, if the above assistance had not been afforded.

There being a disposition on the part of the Guardians to look to a continuance of this aid, it was thought well to intimate to them, last winter, that the country having now recovered from its recent depression the Union must now be entirely dependent upon its own resources without further extraneous assistance.

The Guardians then passed a resolution to the effect that the Union should be amalgamated, and based their application on the grounds that the present area of taxation is wholly insufficient for the present expenditure, and that the amalgamation might be carried out without hardship to the poor, and with advantage to all the Unions concerned.

A meeting of the Ratepayers of the Union was subsequently held to consider the financial prospects of the Union, and in response to a memorial prepared thereat, which was supported by a resolution of the Guardians at a specially convened meeting, an inquiry into the subject was directed by your Board.

## II.

Proposals of amalgamation submitted by the Guardians.

I opened the inquiry at Newport on the 14th July, having previously notified my intention of doing so to the several Boards of Guardians that might be concerned, and on that day I received the evidence submitted by the Board of Guardians of Newport Union in support of their proposal.

Although the question of amalgamation had been freely discussed at the public meeting held previously in Newport, and had constantly occupied the attention of the Newport Board, the Guardians up to the time that their application for an inquiry was granted, had not finally decided upon the particular scheme of amalgamation which it appeared to them to be the most desirable to advocate, and they accordingly deputed three members of their Board—Sir George O'Donel, Mr. Stoney, and Captain Laprimandaye—to fully consider the question and prepare statistics and details of some definite scheme to be laid before me at the inquiry.

The proposal submitted to me by this committee of the Guardians



was to the effect that the Electoral Divisions of Achill, Ballycroy North, Ballycroy South, Corraun, Dooga, and Slievemore, should be annexed to Belmullet Union, the Divisions of Derryloughan, Newport East, Newport West, and Sramore to Westport Union, and the Glenhest Electoral Division to Castlebar.

The committee, however, after deciding to put forward this scheme omitted to place it before their Board for approval, and although there appeared to be a perfect unanimity of feeling on behalf of Guardians and ratepayers in favour of the abolition of the Union, this particular proposal did not meet with the general concurrence of the Board, the representatives of the Achill and Ballycroy districts dissenting very strongly from the recommendations so far as they concerned the annexation of their Divisions to Belmullet.

I accordingly decided, after having fully ventilated the suggestions of the sub-committee, to hold a further inquiry in three weeks with a view of eliciting the opinions of Boards of Guardians and all persons whose interests might be involved by the adoption of this proposal.

The Guardians of Belmullet Union expressed their willingness to receive the Divisions proposed to be transferred to them, and the Guardians of Castlebar Union also approved of the restoration of Glenhest Electoral Division, but the Westport Guardians, who were not present or represented at the inquiry, subsequently passed a resolution protesting against the amalgamation. They were, however, misinformed as to the nature of the scheme that had been before me, and their arguments and objections had reference to the annexation of the entire Newport Union to Westport, a proposal which up to that time had not been under consideration. I accordingly transmitted to them a map which explained the division of the Newport Union, as suggested on the 14th July, and intimated that an adjourned inquiry would be held on 7th August, at which I would be glad to receive their views.

They did not attend the second inquiry, but passed a further resolution on the subject, which is appended to this report.

At the adjourned inquiry resolutions were handed to me in favour of the amalgamation referred to by the Westport Board, and evidence was tendered in favour of its adoption in preference to the scheme originally suggested. Thus it will be seen that there are two proposals of amalgamation before me.

I. To divide the Union between Westport, Belmullet, and Castlebar ; and

II. To annex the entire Union to Westport, and so revert to the original constitution of the Westport Union.

After according the fullest consideration to the first proposal I have finally concluded that it is not one which should commend itself to your Board's consideration. I do not, therefore, propose to encumber this report with statistical particulars regarding it, as it will be sufficient for me to state that, basing my calculation upon an average of three years, I find that to the Westport Union, the Belmullet Union, and to the portion of Newport proposed to be added to Westport, the result would be advantageous ; but to the six electoral divisions of Newport Union that would be added to Belmullet the gross annual saving that would be gained, on establishment and other Union charges, would be under £15. But as the four Achill divisions would be subject to much higher divisional charges for conveyance of paupers, &c., than they are in Newport, owing to the greater remoteness of the Belmullet Work-

*Impracticability of first proposal.*

house, I believe it would ultimately be found that these divisions must sustain an absolute loss under the new regime.

However, even could it be shown that this scheme would be advantageous to all the divisions concerned, from a financial point of view, the difficulties that would be encountered in conveying the sick and destitute from the Achill divisions would be an insuperable objection to this proposal.

The distance by road from the centre of Achill to Belmullet is close upon fifty miles, and although, as the Guardians pointed out, it might be considerably shortened by crossing the Ballycroy ferry, my frequent experiences of the delays and inconveniences to be met with in this route leave no doubt in my mind that it could not be regularly availed of.

The other road to Belmullet stretches across a dreary expanse of moorland, and the road between Dohal and Glencastle, for thirty-five miles, is so heavy and soft that the journey from Achill Sound to Belmullet is seldom performed under seven and a half hours. Furthermore, it is quite unusual for the people of the Achill district to have any communication or business transactions with Belmullet, and as there are no public conveyances between Achill and Belmullet, it is not to be expected that the Achill Guardians would properly attend their Poor Law duties if they involved this very tedious and expensive journey.

Statistics of  
second pro-  
posal.

The second scheme, it will be seen, simply resolves itself into a proposal to undo the work of the Boundary Commissioners. Whatever arguments there may be against the expediency of this, there is no doubt that, financially speaking, all the unions concerned would be more or less benefited, and I will, therefore, lay statistics of this proposal fully before your Board.

I have prepared and placed in the appendix to this report a table (No. 3), which will show in detail the approximate saving which might be expected to each of the Electoral Divisions of the Newport and Westport Union from the amalgamation, and in the following explanatory observations I give a summary of the probable results to each union.

#### WESTPORT UNION.

Probable  
financial  
result to  
Westport  
Union.

The valuation of this Union would be increased by the addition of the Newport Electoral Divisions from £31,148 to £44,342.

*Establishment Charge.*—The establishment expenses in the Westport Union come to about £1,000 per annum. The annexation of Newport would involve a yearly increase in this charge which may be estimated as follows:—

- (a.) Salaries of three Newport Relieving Officers, allowing to each a sufficient increment to cover the expense of travelling the increased distance to Westport once a week to attend the Board, say £90.
- (b.) An assistant to the Clerk of Westport Union, say £35.
- (c.) A nominal sum to cover any possible additional outlay required in stationery, &c., say £10.

Probable total establishment charge, £1,135.

Apportioning this amount over the total valuation of the new Union, the proportion that would fall on the present Westport Union would be £796. There would thus be a saving to Westport, on the establishment charge, of £204.

It might possibly be urged that some addition should have been allowed

to the establishment expenses to cover the wear and tear of the establishment in consequence of increased numbers, but against this I have to point out that the cost of the assistant to the Clerk need not be regarded as a permanent charge, for although the present clerk of the Westport Union, in consequence of his numerous other callings, might not be able to discharge increased poor law duties unaided, I have no doubt that on his retirement a competent officer could be obtained at his present salary, who would undertake all the duties of the new Westport Union.

*Union Paupers.*—The number of paupers annually chargeable to the Union-at-large, in Westport, is much greater in proportion to the total pauperism than in the Newport Union, a fact not difficult to account for, having regard to the circumstances and geographical situation of the two towns. Taking the year 1883, which, I think, may be regarded as a fair average year, as a basis of calculation, I find that in both Unions the total number of Union-at-large paupers and patients relieved in Deaf and Blind Asylums was 355. Calculating the cost of the maintenance of these paupers in the Westport Workhouse,\* and assessing it over the two Unions, the proportion to be borne by the present Westport Union would be £456. As the cost of Union-at-large paupers and extern patients at the present time in Westport is £549, the saving to the Union under this head would be about £93.

*Registration and Contagious Diseases Acts.*—Under these heads it will be seen that the expenditure of the Westport Union would probably be increased by about £17.

It will thus be observed that under all these heads the probable result of the amalgamation to the Westport Union would be a gain of about £280 or something over 2d. in the £.

With the exception of the charges under the Superannuation Acts, to which I shall refer hereafter, nearly all other items of expenditure would be borne by the Electoral Divisions, and would not in any way be influenced by the amalgamation.

There are other charges incidental to the relief of the poor, such as "Workhouse Burials," "Conveyance of Paupers," &c., which might be chargeable to the Union-at-Large, and the cost of the two Unions would also be affected under the head of Burial of Bodies, Law Expenses, Examination of Lunatics, Explosives Officers' Salaries, &c. It is probable that under all these heads there would be a saving to Westport, but it would be almost inappreciable.†

#### NEWPORT UNION.

*Establishment Charge.*—The establishment charge of the present Newport Union amounts to about £715. The proportion of the increased establishment expenses of the new Westport Union to be borne by the Electoral Divisions of the present Newport Union would be about £337. The saving, therefore, on the establishment charge to the Newport Union would be about £378.

*Union Paupers, &c.*—The cost of Union Paupers in the Newport Union may be said to be about £135. Under the new arrangement the Union would be liable to a probable yearly charge of £193, an increase of £58.

Probable  
financial  
result to  
Newport  
Union.

\* Calculated on the collective number of days relief afforded.

† In Westport Union the expenses under the head of burial of bodies, examination of lunatics, law expenses, &c., are considerably higher than in Newport.

*Registration and Contagious Diseases Acts.*—Under this head there would be a probable gain to the Union of £17.

The total result, therefore, to the Newport Union under all these heads would be a saving of £337.

In addition to this, however, each Electoral Division would benefit by the reduced cost at which its indoor paupers would be maintained in Westport Union. Calculating the collective number of days' relief chargeable to each Electoral Division in 1883 at the Westport rate of maintenance, I find that to the several Electoral Divisions of the Union the expense of maintenance would be reduced by £238, and this would increase the gain that would be effected to about £575, or 10½d. in the £.

The above result of the amalgamation with Westport has been computed on the supposition that the existing liabilities of each Union under the Superannuation Act should continue to be borne by the area as originally contemplated in the Local Government Board's Order.

The charges under this Act in the Newport Union amount to £199 a year, while in Westport they are only £35 a year. It was the opinion of the Newport Guardians that, in the event of the amalgamation being carried out, each Union should continue to bear its existing superannuation charges—as the Westport Board had not been benefited by the services of the Newport officers who were in receipt of such large pensions—and that future superannuation charges should be borne by the two Unions.

This, however, is altogether a question of law, which, no doubt, can be decided at the adjustment of accounts, if amalgamation is decided upon. However, as I have now shown the result of the amalgamation if the existing superannuation charges are to be borne by the Unions that incurred them, it may be well to state the probable result of the opposite ruling.

Allowing for an increase in the superannuation charges of the Newport Union by the retirement of the Matron who is past the age of 60, the total charge to be assessed over the new Westport Union would be £250.

Of this sum the proportion that would fall on the Westport Divisions would be £175, and on the Newport Divisions £75.

The charges under this Act would therefore be increased by £140 to the Westport Union, and diminished by £125 on the Newport Union, so that the saving that would otherwise have been effected to Westport by the amalgamation would be temporarily reduced to £140 during the lives of these Newport pensioners, while the total saving to the Newport Union would be increased to £700, and on these pensions reverting to the Union this saving would be further increased to about 1s. 2d. in the £.

In the event of this proposal of amalgamation being favourably entertained by your Board, it will become a question for subsequent consideration, whether it might not be desirable to annex the Electoral Division of Ballyeroy North to Belmullet, and the Electoral Division of Glenhest to Castlebar.

For some reasons this would, I think, be a desirable amendment to the proposal that is now before you, but it would involve a re-arrangement of four Dispensary Districts, and in the case of Ballyeroy North it would be less in accordance with the wishes of the people.

## III.

The question of expediency now remains to be considered, but a few preliminary observations are necessary as to the circumstances of the poorer classes at the present time, as well as to prospects of the Newport Union should it remain as it is. Altered condition of the peasantry.

The Guardians consider that their arguments in favour of amalgamation are fortified by the fact that a very great alteration has taken place in the circumstances of the peasantry since the Union was formed. On this point I have to report that the condition and surroundings of the poorer classes in this Union are in every way much improved since the date when it was thought necessary to establish the Newport District into a separate Union. The population has diminished from 22,838 to 15,100, poverty is nowhere so apparent, and the circumstances of the people have been permanently ameliorated by reduced rents, by facilities which have been afforded for improvement of holdings, and by many other advantages conceded by recent legislation. They are immeasurably better fed and better clad, and nowhere are they dependent on the potato crop to the same extent as in the years which preceded the famine. Where a holding is of insufficient size to support its occupiers some members of the family will obtain employment in England. Large numbers have emigrated within the past few years, and nearly all the successful emigrants periodically remit money to their relatives at home. The coming generation are better fed and better clad than their predecessors were, and have certain ideas and appreciations which will not be satisfied with a corner of the home farm and a few acres of bog to reclaim, and neither a failure of the crops or a culmination of any disastrous circumstances that might hereafter eventuate could possibly lead to such a pressure for relief as that which characterized the famine years and led to the formation of the Union.

In dealing with the financial prospects of the Union I am anxious to make it be clearly understood that the Newport Union is able to bear the existing taxation, provided it is not materially increased by an unusual pressure for relief or by additional duties being thrown on the Poor Law authorities. So much has been said by the Newport ratepayers about their absolute inability to bear the present taxation under any circumstances, that I wish to lay equal stress upon a repudiation of such an argument and to explain that although the taxation is oppressive to all classes of ratepayers, and especially to the landlords whose rentals in this Union have been reduced on an average 25 per cent., still it is not impossible to collect such rates as are necessary in the present condition of the country. Financial position and prospects of the Newport Union.

But the experiences of 1879-82 would seem to show that even with the strictest economy the resources of the Union are insufficient to enable the Guardians to cope with any unusual demand for relief; and it is due to the Guardians to observe that up to 1880 they spared no efforts in endeavouring to keep the expenditure within reasonable limits—and although the course of granting them State assistance on their failure to accomplish this object, was unavoidable, in order to prevent a risk of life, the result, I fear, has been detrimental to the independence of the Union. Financial difficulties are no longer an incentive to economy, as the belief obtains in the minds of the people that if the expenditure exceeds a certain limit it cannot be assessed on so small an area of taxation, and extraneous assistance or special legislation must be provided to prevent a break down of the Poor Law in the Union.

But the actual position of the Union is this—given a most judicious and economical administration of the law, the expenditure under all heads in an ordinary year will require a rate to be struck which will average about 4s. 6d. in the £ on the valuation of the Union, and which on some divisions will be as high as 6s. or 7s. in the £. Although in a prosperous year this rate could be collected, nevertheless a charge like this, in addition to the many other yearly liabilities of landlords and tenants, is a heavy drag on the prosperity of the country, and vitiates the power of the people to keep pace with the progress of civilization, or to participate in measures for the development of the country, or for sanitary and other improvements which they might benefit by if not already taxed to the utmost of their resources.

Considerations as to expediency.

As it has been shown that the amalgamation of the Union with Westport would effect a substantial reduction of the rates in the Newport Union, and would also be attended with advantage to Westport, the question of the expediency of carrying out this scheme would appear to rest almost altogether upon whether it would operate injuriously towards the interest of the sick and destitute poor.

Very serious objections have always presented themselves to all the proposals of amalgamation which have been before the Poor Law Commissioners, and the question of how far these objections are applicable in the case of Newport is one which demands the gravest consideration, for it should be remembered that in all the poorest and most distant divisions of the Newport Union the people are occupiers of land and not legal recipients of out-door relief, and consequently the workhouse is practically the only relief known to them.

The various proposals of amalgamation which have received attention from the Poor Law Commissioners from time to time have always been dealt with according to the local circumstances of the case, and it has never been held that in any instance sufficient reasons for a change have been shown. I cannot find, however, that the question of Newport Union, or of any Union which might fairly be regarded as a parallel case, has been before the Board, and I do not think that the objections to the several schemes of amalgamation which have been decided upon, or the particular reasons which influenced the Commissioners in their decisions, have any direct bearing upon the present case.

In the Annual Report of the year 1857, the Commissioners point out the following objections to a series of propositions that were before them :—

“To almost all Workhouses a Fever Hospital is attached, where poor persons affected by every species of infectious disease are admitted for relief; and the past history of Ireland proves that it is especially exposed to the visitation of epidemic contagious diseases. Within an average radius of from eight to fifteen miles any poor or destitute person in Ireland may, therefore, promptly obtain hospital relief, a form of relief specially required by the Irish from their ill-adapted cabins, and want of ordinary comforts and food. To close them would involve incalculable misery.”

And they further add, in referring to the insufficient ground for the proposals of amalgamation, that :—

“These propositions are made in order to effect a contingent saving of from ½d. to 2½d. in the pound on the annual expenditure; at a period when the Irish are the least taxed for Poor-rate expenditure of each of the three kingdoms; when the present expenditure in England is 1s. 9d. in the pound; in Scotland, 1s. 4d. in the pound, and in Ireland, 11½d. in the pound.”

"The Irish Workhouses can be maintained and supported, as in the case of the poorest of them all, Belmullet, at an annual cost of £182, for salaries and rations of officers; the total expenditure for poor relief, including salaries and rations of officers, being 1*s.* 8½*d.* in the pound, on the valuation."

With regard to the first extract, I have to point out that there is no Fever Hospital attached to Newport Workhouse, and except in the neighbourhood of the town the people have always been treated in their own homes. Persons residing in Newport or in its immediate vicinity have occasionally been conveyed to the Workhouse when suffering from infectious disease and placed in a ward in the infirmary. In the event of the two Unions being amalgamated any such cases that might arise would be brought to the Workhouse Fever Hospital at Westport, a commodious building, only six miles distant from Newport, to which patients might be removed without risk or hardship, and treated under more favourable conditions than they can at Newport.

To the second extract it is merely necessary to observe that, if the state of things therein adverted to still existed at Newport Union, the Guardians would have no grounds for asking permission to lay their proposal before your Board.

The possibility of hardship to the poor and the other disadvantages of an extensive area are questions which do not arise in the case of Electoral Divisions within a radius of say seventeen or eighteen miles from the Workhouse, and it is therefore principally with regard to the divisions outside that radius that the following points must be considered, viz :—(a.) Whether in consequence of the removal of the Workhouse to Westport the increased distance to be travelled to obtain relief would involve hardship to the destitute poor. (b.) Whether the Guardians would find it more inconvenient to attend Board meetings in Westport than in Newport, and whether they would be less regular attendants in consequence.

I think the proximity of Westport to Newport in a great measure answers the first question; and, as paupers have hitherto been always removed from the most distant divisions to the Workhouse, in open carts without complaint of hardship or inconvenience, it is a question for your Board's consideration, whether if the means of locomotion were improved by the substitution of suitable ambulances for the carts which the people have hitherto been accustomed to, the greater comfort with which the sick and destitute could be moved would not more than compensate them for the short additional distance to be travelled.

From the following Table will be seen the indoor pauperism that had to be provided for in the most distant divisions of the Newport Union during the past five years; but as the spring and winters of 1880-81-82-83 were remarkable for exceptional poverty, I think an average struck on these years will more than represent the probable indoor relief to be afforded in a year of ordinary prosperity:—

	1880.	1881.	1882.	1883.	1884.
Achill, . . . . .	7	4	1	—	1
Ballycroy, North, . .	2	3	2	2	3
Ballycroy, South, . .	11	9	9	8	6
Corran, Ashill, . . .	6	7	4	5	5
Deoga, . . . . .	3	2	2	4	6
Slievemore, . . . . .	5	7	6	4	7

With regard to the attendance of Guardians, I have always found that it is unusual for Guardians of the more remote divisions of any Union to attend the meetings of the Board when they have no other

business to attract them to the town, and in the case of Newport Union the attendance of the Achill and Ballycroy Guardians has been no exception to the rule; I think, however, that the probability is, their attendance would be, if anything, more regular at Westport than it has heretofore been at Newport. Westport as a business town possesses infinitely more attractions, and is more resorted to than Newport, by the class of persons of which the Newport Board is composed, and by the Guardians of the Achill and Ballycroy districts, I think the latter town is merely regarded as a halting place on the road to Westport. Railway communication has been extended to Westport since its separation from Newport, and Westport is now the railway station of the Newport Union, through which persons from all parts of the Union must pass if attending fairs or having other business elsewhere throughout the country.

From the Island of Achill there are facilities for visiting Westport, in addition to the public car which runs daily over an excellent road, as there is a fleet of hookers which ply regularly between the Island and Westport, and in favourable weather the passage is made in a very short time.

In the event of the amalgamation of Westport and Newport being decided upon, the propriety of establishing an auxiliary or cottage hospital for the Achill and Ballycroy districts might subsequently require to be considered, but looking to the insignificant number that apply for hospital relief from these districts,\* the necessity would hardly appear to exist at present, but if at any time it should be found to be desirable, there are buildings in a convenient situation, that, I am informed, might be made available at short notice for the purpose.

It should be observed that the Westport Workhouse affords ample accommodation for the paupers of both Unions. It is just possible that the infirmary space might occasionally be found insufficient, but in such an event there are vacant wards in the Workhouse, which might be made use of for certain classes of infirmary patients without interfering with the proper classification of the inmates.

Objections  
raised by  
Guardians  
of West-  
port Union  
to amalga-  
mation.

The Guardians of the Westport Union have expressed themselves as unanimously opposed to amalgamation with Newport, and they have embodied their objections in a resolution which will be found attached to this report. To this resolution a brief reference is only here necessary as I have already adverted to the principal arguments which the Guardians have set forth. Their chief objections, it will be seen, are grounded on the supposition that the amalgamation would be "financially injurious" to their Union—a somewhat hasty conclusion which I cannot but think must have been the result rather of surmise than of careful calculation—I need hardly say that, if it could be shown that the advantages sought by the Newport Board could only be achieved at the cost of the Westport Union, it is not likely that the proposal would receive consideration.

The Westport Guardians did not attend either of the inquiries at Newport, and I accordingly had not an opportunity of eliciting their views as fully as I could have wished, but I think that the very strong feeling they have displayed against amalgamation with Newport is in a very great degree the outcome of the unfavourable impression they

\* The number of Hospital patients from these divisions during the year ending September, 1884, was as follows:—

Achill, 1; Ballycroy, North, 2; Ballycroy, South, 4; Corraun, 3; Deoga, 3; Slievemore, 4.



entertain of the past administration of the Newport Board. I imagine they look upon the Newport Guardians as having failed in the discharge of their duty, and they fear that their own administrative capabilities, which indeed are of a very high order, may be undermined by the infusion of the unsuccessful Newport element.

It should, however, be borne in mind that the Newport Guardians have had difficulties to contend with that were never experienced by the Westport Board, and that, notwithstanding these difficulties, they satisfactorily carried on their duties without assistance for over twenty years, and it was not until the expenditure reached its present limits, from circumstances over which they had no control, that the resources of the Union had to be supplemented by Government aid, and I see no grounds whatever for apprehending that the efficiency of the Westport Board would in any way be impaired by the introduction of the representatives of the Newport electoral divisions.

In conclusion I beg to say that, having regard to the importance of this question, I have thought it necessary to enter into the various considerations as fully as possible, and I trust that from the foregoing materials your Board may be enabled to form a decision as to whether amalgamation of the Newport Union with any of the adjoining Unions should be carried out.

I have the honour to be, Gentlemen,

Your most obedient servant,

H. A. ROBINSON, *Inspector.*

The Local Government Board, Dublin.

#### APPENDIX No. 1.

TABLE showing Contract Prices for Food and Clothing in Newport and Westport Unions.

Articles	Newport.	Westport.
	s. d.	s. d.
First Flour Bread, . . . . .	0 2½	0 6½
New Milk, . . . . . per gal.	0 0	0 6½
Indian Meal, . . . . . per cwt.	8 8	7 2
Oatmeal, . . . . . "	15 0	11 8
Tea, . . . . . per lb.	2 0	1 10
Sugar, . . . . . "	0 3	0 2½
Salt, . . . . . per stone,	1 8	1 4
Beef and Mutton, . . . . . per lb.	0 7	0 6
Wine (Sherry), . . . . . per bottle	2 4	1 0
Porter, . . . . . doz. small bot.	1 10½	1 7
Washing Soda, . . . . . per cwt.	5 4	0 0
Coal, . . . . . per ton	17 8	15 8
Calico, . . . . . per yard	0 4	0 4½
Check, . . . . . "	0 8½	0 9
Frieze, . . . . . "	4 1	2 0
Flannel, . . . . . "	0 10	0 6½

## APPENDIX No. 2.

TABLE showing the Pauperism and Expenditure of the Union from the year 1857 up to the year 1884.

Year ended 20th September.	No. of Persons relieved in the Workhouse.	Total Expenditure for the Year, exclusive of the cost of Outdoor Relief.	No. of Persons relieved out of the Workhouse.	Cost of Outdoor Relief.	Total Expenditure for the Year.
		£		£	£
1858,	224	1,181	4	5	1,189
1859,	232	1,146	1	—	1,146
1860,	225	1,245	—	—	1,245
1861,	207	1,285	—	—	1,285
1862,	242	1,366	118	11	1,575
1863,	324	1,320	134	24	1,544
1864,	301	1,635	40	13	1,648
1865,	321	1,479	50	15	1,494
1866,	217	1,470	5	6	1,476
1867,	282	1,656	53	16	1,672
1868,	240	1,684	11	20	1,504
1869,	309	1,877	53	27	1,704
1870,	317	1,641	54	26	1,667
1871,	247	1,648	49	51	1,699
1872,	212	1,610	51	13	1,623
1873,	245	1,774	64	25	1,799
1874,	341	1,791	57	57	1,848
1875,	318	2,082	21	25	2,107
1876,	269	2,161	51	26	2,187
1877,	260	2,090	63	26	2,125
1878,	253	2,318	82	49	2,368
1879,	364	2,578	225	113	2,691
1880,	341	2,505	*744	116	2,621
1881,	309	†4,069	*264	142	4,212
1882,	355	3,446	133	100	3,746
1883,	374	4,212	200	107	4,319

\* The Relief of Distress Amendment Act was in operation at this time.

† The salaries of the Vice-Guardians are included in this total.

## APPENDIX No. 3.

TABLE showing the probable financial result to the several Electoral Divisions of the Newport Union of amalgamation with Westport.

NAME.	Establishment Charge.		Savings on Establishment Charge	Cost of Union Payees and Patients in Blind, and Dumb Asylums.		Increase in cost of Union Paupers.	Registration and Contagious Diseases.		Savings on Registration and Contagious Diseases Expenses.	Estimated saving in Cost of Institution.	Total saving to Newport Union if annexed to Westport.
	Of present Newport Union.	If annexed to Westport.		Of present Newport Union.	If annexed to Westport.		Cost to present Newport Union.	If annexed to Westport.			
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Achill.	24 4 2	11 7 7	12 16 7	4 11 0	5 10 6	2 18 3	2 2 7	1 10 6	0 12 1	0 0 7	11 10 6
Ballycorry, North.	56 2 1	26 8 4	29 14 0	10 12 8	15 2 10	4 10 2	4 18 9	3 11 9	1 7 0	7 4 4	33 16 11
Ballycorry, South.	46 4 9	21 15 2	24 9 7	6 15 1	12 9 6	3 16 5	4 1 2	2 10 2	1 2 0	25 0 0	47 0 2
Carraun-Achill.	30 7 3	14 5 10	14 1 5	5 14 11	8 5 10	2 9 11	2 13 4	1 13 10	0 14 6	14 1 0	28 8 9
Derrytolina.	166 12 5	73 14 11	83 15 6	29 12 10	42 6 5	12 13 7	13 15 3	10 0 10	3 14 5	59 2 6	112 18 8
Deoga.	38 19 1	18 7 8	20 11 5	7 7 0	10 10 10	2 3 4	3 8 6	2 1 7	1 4 11	13 3 2	33 18 2
Glenash.	45 17 6	21 11 7	24 5 11	8 11 9	12 7 6	3 12 9	4 0 0	3 18 7	1 1 11	13 14 6	35 9 1
Newport, East.	144 8 6	67 18 10	76 9 8	27 0 10	34 13 0	11 12 2	12 13 10	9 1 8	8 12 4	72 18 2	141 8 0
Newport, West.	87 5 1	41 9 10	46 2 3	15 10 4	22 11 2	7 1 5	7 15 5	5 11 0	2 1 5	30 15 4	40 17 8
Ellenmore.	47 11 6	22 17 8	24 11 9	8 10 6	12 2 8	4 2 11	4 5 9	3 2 2	1 1 7	99 9 0	42 0 5
Brannmore.	37 14 5	17 14 10	19 19 7	7 2 10	10 5 6	3 0 8	3 6 4	2 11 2	0 15 2	13 3 4	29 17 5
Total.	714 7 8	337 7 3	378 0 8	145 8 0	193 8 1	58 0 1	62 17 3	45 7 10	17 5 5	218 1 0	575 10 9

NOTE.—In the event of the Superannuation Charges of this Union being added to those of Westport Union and assessed over the Valuation of both Unions, the total saving to the present Newport Union would be increased to £760.

APPENDIX No. 3.—continued.

TABLE showing the probable financial result to each Electoral Division of the WESTPORT UNION of amalgamation with Newport.

NAME.	Establishment Charge.		Savings in Patient Charge.	Cost of Union Paupers and Patients in Ward and Dumb Asylum.		Savings in Cost of Union Paupers.	Contagious Diseases and Registration Expenses.		Increase in Cost under these heads.	Total saving to Westport Union.
	Of present Westport Union.	With Newport added.		At present.	With Newport added.		At present.	With Newport added.		
Agar Grove, North.	£ 5 9 7	£ 5 13 7	£ 13 11 0	£ 35 13 9	£ 29 13 8	£ 6 6 3	£ 5 10 11	£ 7 0 1	£ 1 3 2	£ 4 4 4
Agar Grove, South.	£ 39 17 10	£ 33 16 6	£ 6 3 4	£ 10 16 7	£ 9 0 4	£ 1 14 3	£ 1 16 6	£ 2 2 8	£ 0 7 2	£ 15 7 11
Alltomer.	£ 31 4 1	£ 24 13 7	£ 6 11 0	£ 17 9 5	£ 16 6 1	£ 2 18 6	£ 2 16 2	£ 3 7 3	£ 0 11 1	£ 5 12 5
Bundarra.	£ 9 13 7	£ 7 16 11	£ 2 0 8	£ 5 7 0	£ 6 8 10	£ 0 18 2	£ 0 17 7	£ 1 0 0	£ 0 2 5	£ 8 18 9
Clare Island.	£ 21 7 9	£ 16 19 0	£ 4 8 9	£ 11 12 0	£ 9 14 5	£ 1 18 7	£ 1 18 4	£ 2 6 0	£ 0 7 8	£ 2 16 5
Cogher.	£ 63 11 2	£ 47 4 5	£ 12 6 8	£ 22 12 9	£ 27 1 5	£ 5 12 5	£ 5 6 8	£ 4 8 2	£ 0 7 5	£ 5 19 8
Creechpatrick.	£ 40 3 4	£ 31 16 9	£ 8 6 7	£ 21 18 0	£ 16 5 0	£ 5 12 5	£ 1 8 8	£ 4 0 5	£ 0 14 5	£ 11 5 2
Drumm.	£ 16 9 6	£ 12 13 2	£ 3 7 4	£ 8 18 3	£ 7 5 4	£ 1 9 11	£ 1 8 8	£ 1 18 1	£ 0 9 5	£ 4 7 10
Eastlagh.	£ 26 2 3	£ 20 13 6	£ 5 8 6	£ 14 5 1	£ 11 17 2	£ 2 7 11	£ 2 6 7	£ 2 16 2	£ 0 9 7	£ 7 6 10
Erill.	£ 15 16 4	£ 12 11 1	£ 3 5 2	£ 8 12 11	£ 7 4 0	£ 1 9 11	£ 1 8 4	£ 1 14 1	£ 0 5 9	£ 6 9 5
Idinacady.	£ 74 17 8	£ 59 7 6	£ 15 10 6	£ 41 1 7	£ 34 0 6	£ 7 1 2	£ 6 14 0	£ 8 1 2	£ 1 7 2	£ 21 4 6
Kilgoose.	£ 10 9 6	£ 8 6 3	£ 2 3 3	£ 5 15 0	£ 4 12 2	£ 0 10 9	£ 0 13 1	£ 1 2 7	£ 0 5 6	£ 2 19 6
Kilnadar.	£ 50 8 8	£ 35 16 10	£ 10 9 5	£ 27 10 11	£ 23 18 0	£ 4 12 11	£ 4 10 6	£ 5 8 6	£ 0 16 2	£ 14 4 2
Kilnaree.	£ 142 14 3	£ 113 1 6	£ 29 12 11	£ 78 0 3	£ 64 15 5	£ 13 4 0	£ 12 5 8	£ 15 1 3	£ 2 8 7	£ 40 12 4
Kilnash.	£ 30 10 3	£ 24 3 10	£ 6 6 5	£ 13 13 10	£ 13 17 6	£ 2 16 8	£ 2 14 6	£ 3 5 8	£ 0 11 2	£ 8 11 9
Knapagh.	£ 40 7 5	£ 31 10 9	£ 8 7 8	£ 22 1 4	£ 18 0 9	£ 3 14 7	£ 2 18 4	£ 4 6 11	£ 0 16 7	£ 11 7 8
Leinfur.	£ 49 6 10	£ 39 1 5	£ 10 5 5	£ 30 18 11	£ 22 8 8	£ 4 10 11	£ 4 8 4	£ 5 6 1	£ 0 17 9	£ 13 18 7
Ossington.	£ 14 14 8	£ 11 12 2	£ 3 1 6	£ 8 0 10	£ 6 13 8	£ 1 7 2	£ 1 6 8	£ 1 11 8	£ 0 5 4	£ 6 3 4
Shivonslanagh.	£ 26 6 5	£ 22 8 0	£ 3 17 11	£ 15 8 0	£ 12 17 1	£ 2 10 11	£ 2 10 8	£ 1 1 0	£ 0 10 4	£ 7 18 6
Westport.	£ 257 19 7	£ 204 8 0	£ 53 11 7	£ 140 19 9	£ 117 5 6	£ 23 10 1	£ 21 1 7	£ 27 5 3	£ 6 5 8	£ 73 4 0
Total.	£ 1,465 8 1	£ 794 6 11	£ 203 16 2	£ 249 10 4	£ 458 11 11	£ 92 18 5	£ 83 19 5	£ 107 9 0	£ 17 9 5	£ 264 5 3*

\* In the event of the Superannuation Charges of this Union being added to those of Newport, and assessed over the Valuation of both Unions, this saving would be temporarily reduced to £246 during the lives of the Newport residents.

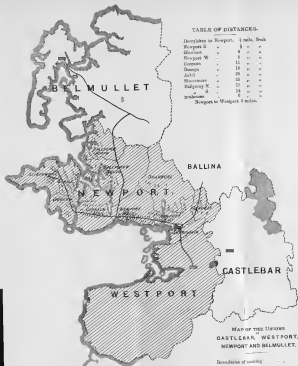


TABLE OF DISTANCES-

Distances to Newport. 1 mile, Irish	
Newport E.	4
Glenties	4
Newport W.	5
Comau	11
Down	18
Jahil	20
Shannon	20
Ballyvaughan	25
Belmullet	34
Castlebar	6

Newport to Westport 6 miles.

MAP OF THE UNIONS  
OF  
CASTLEBAR, WESTPORT,  
NEWPORT AND BELMULLET.

Boundaries of existing  
Unions  
Proposed Extension of  
Westport  
Workhouses  
Roads  
Population Density



## 2.—CORRESPONDENCE RELATIVE TO THE PAYMENT OF SEED RATE.

(1.) LETTER from the LOCAL GOVERNMENT BOARD.

(2.) LETTER from the LORDS COMMISSIONERS of HER MAJESTY'S TREASURY.

(1.)

Local Government Board, Dublin,  
27th February, 1886.

SIR,

I am directed by the Local Government Board for Ireland to submit, for the consideration of the Lord Lieutenant the question of the enforcement of the payment of the instalments remaining due in respect of the loans obtained by Boards of Guardians in Ireland under the Seed Supply Act, 1880.

The following are, briefly, the facts of the case :—

In the year 1880, 153 Boards of Guardians borrowed from the Commissioners of Public Works the net sum of £598,306 to purchase seed potatoes, seed oats, or other seed which the Local Government Board might authorize, for the purpose of selling such seed to occupiers of land.

With a view to the repayment of these loans, the guardians were required to levy the sums due by the purchasers of seed, in two equal instalments by special rates to be added to the poor rates, and on the 1st of August following each such assessment to lodge an instalment of the debt with the Commissioners of Public Works; under the 4th section of the Act, the poor rates of each electoral division became security for the debt, and were charged with the repayment of the sum lent for the use of such division.

By subsequent enactments the time allowed for the collection of the money from the purchasers of seed, and for the payment of the instalments to the Commissioners of Public Works, was extended, and these instalments were payable to the Commissioners as follows :—

	£
On the 1st of August 1881, about . . .	138,299
" " 1882, " . . .	176,692
" " 1883, " . . .	133,104
" " 1884, " . . .	75,940
" " 1885, " . . .	74,271
	<hr/> £598,306

Of this debt £536,255 has been paid, being the whole of the first three instalments and portions of the fourth and fifth, and there remained due on the 5th instant—

	£
In respect of the 4th instalment, about . . .	8,010
" " 5th instalment, " . . .	54,041
Total, . . .	<hr/> £62,051

and this is owing by forty-five unions, the guardians of 108 unions having paid in full.

But, while the debt has been so well paid by the Boards of Guardians to the Commissioners of Public Works, the seed rates have not been so well collected from the purchasers of the seed, and the poor rates of the

electoral divisions have incurred considerable loss by reason of their liability in the matter.

The Board have endeavoured within the last few days to ascertain the sums taken from the poor rates of each union to make up the instalments handed over to the Commissioners of Public Works, and, although they have not been able in so short a time to obtain accurate information on the point, it would appear from the communications they have received on the subject, that of the £536,255 which has been paid, the sum of more than £50,000 has been advanced from the poor rates.

From returns furnished by the clerks of the forty-five unions owing the £62,051 mentioned above, it appears that this debt comprises about £37,840, which the guardians have not been able to collect owing to the death, removal, or poverty of the purchasers of seed, while the balance of £24,211 would, consequently, seem to have been collected but still in the guardians' hands, and the Board annex a return showing the amount due by each Board of Guardians, the outstanding seed-rate in each union, and some information as to its financial condition. His Excellency will observe that in several instances the unions are in great difficulties, and that in twenty-five of them the guardians have balances against them at foot of their treasurers' accounts to the extent, in the whole, of £15,022, while these debit balances would be larger, and the credit balances of the others less, if the guardians had paid over to the Commissioners of Public Works the sum referred to above as having been collected from the purchasers of seed but retained in the guardians' hands.

The Board believe that the Boards of Guardians have generally made every effort to collect the outstanding seed rate, and that impounding their poor rates under the 5th section of the Seed Supply Act for the full amount of their liability in regard to this debt, at a time when exceptional distress prevails in the country, would seriously embarrass them in the discharge of their duties.

The Board would therefore suggest to His Excellency the propriety of recommending the Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury to allow the Commissioners of Public Works to accept the sums collected by the Boards of Guardians as seed rate and retained by them, on the understanding that if these sums are not paid on or before the 1st of May next, orders will be made at that time impounding the poor rates for any portion which may then remain due, and to authorize the Commissioners of Public Works not to press till the month of April next year for the payment of the amount of seed rate which may now be uncollected, and due to the guardians by the purchasers of the seed.

I am, sir, your obedient servant,

(Signed) W. D. WORSWORTH, Secretary.

To Sir Robert Hamilton, K.C.B., &c., &c.  
Dublin Castle.

(2).

Sir,

Treasury Chambers,  
8th March, 1886.

In reply to your letter of the 27th ultimo, respecting the arrears of the Seed Loans, I am directed by the Lords Commissioners of Her



Majesty's Treasury to acquaint you, for the information of His Excellency the Lord Lieutenant, that, under all the circumstances of the case, my lords sanction the proposal made that, provided the Boards of Guardians of the unions now in arrear pay over to the Board of Works, on or before the 1st May next, all the money collected by them on account of Seed Rate, which now exceeds £24,000, the Board of Works shall not press for the remainder of the debt due until 1st April next year.

This concession is granted on the definite understanding that if the sums now in hand are not paid over by the specified date, orders will be made forthwith for imposing the Poor Rates for any portion which may then remain due.

My lords, would have preferred to name 31st instant as the latest day for payment, so as to lessen the heavy arrears which will otherwise appear in the Report of the Board of Works for 1885-6, but they will not press for this alteration if His Excellency sees any strong objection. They would, however, point out the advantage of realizing the arrears, as far as possible within the financial year.

The Board of Works have been instructed accordingly.

I am, sir, your obedient servant,

(Signed) HENRY H. FOWLER.

The Chief Secretary for Ireland.

III.—STATEMENT OF ORDERS issued under the 232nd Section of the PUBLIC HEALTH (IRELAND) ACT, 1878, determining the AREA of CHARGE on which the SPECIAL EXPENSES mentioned in such Orders respectively shall be chargeable (in continuation of Statement in Annual Report for 1885, pages 136 to 145).

NAME OF UNION, AND TOWN, VILLAGE, OR PLACE.	Date of Order.	Payments for which Incurred or to be Incurred.		AREA OF CHARGE.
		Water Supply, &c.	Sewerage, &c.	
ANNEYLEIGH UNION: Cullinagh Village.	14th April, 1885.	Providing a pump.	—	The Cullinagh Electoral Division.
ARTANEY UNION: Ballyeaston Village.	2nd September, 1885.	Supply of water.	—	Ballyeaston Electoral Division.
ATHLONE UNION: Golden Island.	1st September, 1885.	Providing a pump.	—	The Townlands of Golden Island, Golden Island (Kilmacool), Golden Island (St. George), and Carrickmoreen, situate in the Athlone Electoral Division of the said Union, except such portions of the said Townlands as may be included in the Athlone Urban Sanitary District.
BALLINACOROUGH UNION: Ballinacorough Town.	25th June, 1885.	—	Making a sewer.	The Townland of Tandavogro, in the Ballinacorough Electoral Division.
BALMONEY UNION: Malahide.	23rd January, 1886.	Shaking a well and erecting a pump.	—	The Kinsley and Malahide Electoral Divisions.
BAYDON UNION: Village of Kilbride.	13th February, 1886.	Supply of water.	—	The Townland of Glasduff, situate in the Kibberrin Electoral Division of the said Union, except the portion thereof described in the Order.

BAWKENEY UNION: Town of Ballinacorney.	4th September, 1885.	—	Sewerage.	The portions described in the Order, of the Townlands of Carnaboe, Stradernot, and Tully, situate in the Ballinacorney Electoral Division.
Do.	11th September, 1885.	Supply of water.	—	The Townlands of Aghafark, Carnaboe, Stradernot, and Tully, in the Ballinacorney Electoral Division.
BORRISMEANE UNION: Coolham.	7th October, 1885.	Erecting a pump.	—	The Kilharoon Electoral Division.
CAPTLEIGH UNION: Town of Castlereagh.	1st May, 1885.	Supply of water.	—	The Townland of Castlereagh, and the portion of the Townland of Longford described in the Order, both townlands situate in the Castlereagh Electoral Division.
CARTLETOWN UNION: Town of Cartletown.	7th September, 1885.	Erection of pumps and laying pipes.	—	The Kilharoon Electoral Division.
CAYNE UNION: Kilcormac, Town of Arragh.	1st September, 1885. 11th September, 1885.	Providing a pump. Supply of water.	—	The Townland of Kilsenny, situate in the Kilsenny Electoral Division. The Townlands of Drumst and Drumnawall and the portion of the Townland of Tiesker, described in the Order, all situate in the Arragh Electoral Division.
CLAREMORRIS UNION: Town of Claremorris.	22nd April, 1885.	—	Constructing a sewer.	The Townlands of Ardara, Belduff, Belduff, Castlegar, Clarr, Claremorris, Lilliburn, Lilliburn, Moyfield, Moyfield, Roskilly and Roskilly, situate in the Claremorris Electoral Division.
CLONMEL UNION: Scart.	21st August, 1885.	Sinking a well and erecting a pump.	—	The Ardara and Tullaghmore Electoral Divisions.
Bohemagore West.	7th September, 1885.	Do.	—	The Townlands of Bohemagore East, and Bohemagore West, in the Tullaghmore Electoral Division.

STATEMENT of ORDERS issued under the 232nd Section of the PUBLIC-HEALTH (IRELAND) ACT, 1878, determining the AREA of CHARGE on which the SPECIAL EXPENSES mentioned in such Orders respectively shall be chargeable—continued.

NAME OF UNION, AND TOWN, VILLAGE, OR PLACE.	DATE OF ORDER.	PURPOSES FOR WHICH ISSUED OR TO BE ISSUED.		AREA OF CHARGE.
		Water Supply, &c.	Severage, &c.	
CORK UNION: Leesonagh, Strawberry Hill.	8th June, 1888. 10th June, 1888.	Supply of water. Erecting public fountain.	— —	The Leesonagh Electoral Division. The Townlands of Ballymoreon, Ballygreehan, Ballysheehy, Clogheen, Coosa, Commons, Cooleymurphus, Coppinger's Acre, Farnhamra, Garsabrook, Kerryhall, Killead, Killane, Knockree, Knockna-bally, Knocknacullen East, Knocknacullen West, Knocknagerty, Knocknacree, Knockroge, Mount Dewar, Parkingtonstown, and Salskille, and the space described as "Shankill Townparks," all situate in the Cork Electoral Division, with the exception of such portions of said Townlands and space as may be included within the Cork Urban Sanitary District.
Town of Blackrock.	1st September, 1888.	—	Severage.	The Townlands of Ballinarr, Mahon, and Doodanlon, in the Cork Electoral Division.
CARLOW UNION: Townland of Graigue.	1st October, 1888.	Deepening a well.	—	The Townlands of Graigue and Graigueparling, situate in the Adare South Electoral Division. The Townlands of Kilpobbin, Moudallilly, and Riveroo, in the Adare South Electoral Division.
Townland of Kilpobbin.		Sinking a well.	—	
DUBLIN UNION: Carpenterstown.	13th July, 1888.	Erecting a pump.	—	The Hilltown Electoral Division.
DUBLIN UNION: Town of Duncree.	15th February, 1888.	Repairing wells.	—	The Townland of Duncree and the portion of the Townland of Rathanganon described in the Order, both townlands situate in the Duncree Electoral Division.

DRONONA UNION: Newtown Platten.	Supply of water.	—	The Electoral Division of St. Mary's, except such portion thereof as may be included in an Urban Sanitary District.
Village of Laytown.	Do.	—	The Electoral Division of Julianstown.
Hackett's Cross.	Do.	—	The Townlands of Callstown, Mayno, Cloghan, Dales, Berrigoldstown, Crickstown, Altonstown, Parsonstown, and Glasfelter, situate in the Electoral Division of Clough.
Beltystown Cross.	Do.	—	The Electoral Divisions of Julianstown and St. Mary's, except such portion thereof as may be included in an Urban Sanitary District.
Village of Bellinstown Hill. Johnstown Road. Belles.	Do.	—	The Electoral Divisions of Ardsoil and Dalook.
Village of Black Bull. Stapledon's Garden. (Village of Delook).	Sinking a well and erecting a pump. Do.	—	The St. Mary's Electoral Division, except such portion thereof as may be included in the Drogheda Urban Sanitary District.
DRONONA WATER UNIONS: Cartoon.	Sinking a well and erecting a pump.	—	The Electoral Divisions of Ardsoil and Dalook.
NOVA DUNNIS UNIONS: Finglas and Glanseth Hill. (Road between) Town of Howth. Sutton.	Building and repairing a well. Improving water supply. Abating a nuisance.	— Improving sewers. —	The Townlands of Berrigoldstown, Bellinacorney, Carton, Doonycory, Doonacorney, and Lugdoun, in the Templeboy North Electoral Division, and the Townlands of Bellinacorney, Bellinacorney, Ballygraghian Barr, Grange Beg, Kingstown, and Rathfriland, in the Templeboy South Electoral Division.
SOUTH DUNNIS UNIONS: Townland of Balgaddy.	Sinking a well and erecting a pump and outfitting a pump.	—	The Townland of Carton, in the Glanseth Electoral Division.
Village of Whitbrook. Lower Palmerstown. Townland of Reddishill.	Supply of water. Erecting a pump. Sinking a well and erecting a pump.	— — —	The Townlands of Howth, Howth Demense, Sallion South, Burrow, and Quarry, in the Howth Electoral Division. The Townlands of Sallion North, Sallion South, and Howth Demense, in the Howth Electoral Division of the said Union. The Townlands of Balgaddy, Carragh, Chobarris Little, Kallstown, Rosnastown, and Kewagh, in the Clonsilla Electoral Division. The Rathfriland Electoral Division. The Townland of Lower Palmerstown, in the Palmerstown Electoral Division. The Clonsilla Electoral Division.

STATEMENT OF ORDERS issued under the 232nd Section of the PUBLIC HEALTH (IRELAND) ACT, 1878, determining the AREA of CHARGE on which the SPECIAL EXPENSES mentioned in such Orders respectively shall be chargeable—continued.

NAME OF UNION, AND TOWN, VILLAGE, OR PLACE.	Date of Order.	Purpose for which incurred or to be incurred.		AREA OF CHARGE.
		Water Supply, &c.	Sewerage, &c.	
DUNDALK UNION: Village of Whitestown.	6th October, 1885.	Sinking a well and erecting a pump.	—	The Carrington Electoral Division.
DUNSHAGHLEN UNION: Green of Garristown.	18th July, 1885.	Erecting a pump.	—	The Garristown Electoral Division.
EXETER UNION: Clontarf.	15th February, 1886.	—	Constructing a sewer.	The Clontarf Electoral Division.
EXMISTERTON UNION: Clabby.	17th June, 1886.	Erecting a well.	—	The Clabby Electoral Division.
FENNOR UNION: Village of Castledyons, Watergrasshill.	15th August, 1885, 18th September, 1885.	Supply of water, Sinking a well and erecting a pump.	—	The Castledyons Electoral Division. The Watergrasshill Electoral Division.
GOOSEY UNION: Town of Goosey.	12th October, 1885.	—	Sewerage	The Townlands of Ballinacorney or Bunsfort-jack, Clontarf, Lower, Crough, Donsena, Geary Corporation Lands, Goosey Hill, Kestonville, and Bunsfort Lower, situate in the Goosey Electoral Division, and the Townlands of Gooseybridge and Mill Lane, situate in the Clontarf Electoral Division.
TARAHILL.	28th November, 1885.	Supply of water.	—	The Townlands of Kildermot, Tarahill, and Ballinacorney, situate in the Parish of Kildermot, and the Townland of Kildermot, situate in the Parish of Kileavan.

GRANARD UNION: Town of Edgeworthstown.	11th July, 1885.	Sinking a well and erecting a pump.	—	The Townland of Edgeworthstown, situate in the Edgeworthstown Electoral Division.
KANTUCK UNION: Barter, . . . . . Celtstown, . . . . .	3rd October, 1885.	Sinking a well and erecting a pump. Erecting a pump.	—	The Bantock Electoral Division. The Roslarn Electoral Division.
KELLS UNION: Village of Kilmalham, . . . . .	21st November, 1885.	Sinking a well and erecting a pump.	—	The Townland of Kilmalham, in the Teltown Electoral Division.
KILKEEL UNION: Town of Kilked, . . . . .	22nd April, 1885.	Deepening wells and improving and keeping in order pumps.	—	The portions, described in the Order, of the Townlands of Kilked and Magheramurphy, in the Kilkesh Electoral Division.
KILMARKEY UNION: Townland of Deonin, . . . . .	3rd June, 1885.	Erecting and keeping in repair a pump.	—	The Townlands of Deonin, Deonin East, and Deonin West, in the Deonin Electoral Division.
KILMALLOCK UNION: Ballynasa, . . . . . Uregh, . . . . .	21st August, 1885.	Supply of water. Do.	—	The Killygriffin Electoral Division. The Deonin and Uregh Electoral Division.
LISOWEE UNION: Ballyduff, . . . . . Ballybanon, . . . . .	1st September, 1885. 29th January, 1886.	Improving a well. Supply of water.	—	The Townland of Bonnere, in the Ballyduff Electoral Division. The Killybanon Electoral Division.
LONGHEA UNION: Village of Ballywinna, . . . . . Town of Adhery, . . . . .	3rd June, 1885. 10th March, 1886.	Supply of water.	Sewerage.	The Craughwell Electoral Division. The Townlands of Athery and Collairtown, in the Athery Electoral Division.
LUSAM UNION: Donaghmore, . . . . . Banaga, . . . . . Doolingstown, . . . . .	1st October, 1885. 2nd October, 1885. 2nd January, 1886.	Sinking a well and erecting a pump. do. —	— — Constructing a sewer.	The portion, described in the Order, of the Townland of Donaghmore, situate in the Donaghmore Electoral Division. The portion, described in the Order, of the Townland of Banaga, situate in the Warrington Electoral Division. The Magheralin Electoral Division.

STATEMENT of ORDERS issued under the 23rd Section of the PUBLIC HEALTH (IRELAND) ACT, 1878, determining the AREA of CHARGE on which the SPECIAL EXPENSES mentioned in such Orders respectively shall be chargeable—continued.

NAME OF UNIONS, TOWNS, VILLAGES, OR PLACES.	Date of Order.	Purposes for which Incurred or to be Incurred.		Area or Charge.
		Water Supply, &c.	Sewerage, &c.	
MAGORNEY UNION. Village of Coochford.	24th June, 1886.	Supply of water.	Sewerage works.	The Magorney Electoral Division and the Townlands of Cronohy, Fergus, and Ferrus, situate in the Aghle Electoral Division.
MALLOW UNION. Ballybeg.	24th January, 1884.	Erecting a pump.	—	The Bettewant and Caherloggan Electoral Divisions.
MANORHAMILLION UNIONS. Town of Manorhamilton.	1st February, 1886.	Water works.	Sewerage.	The Townlands of Manorhamilton, Clonsilla, Shreeve, in the Parish of Clonsilla, and Shreeve, in the Parish of Kilsomet, situate in the Manorhamilton Electoral Division.
MIDLETON UNIONS. Town of Middleton and vicinity.	27th April, 1883.	Supply of water.	—	The Townlands of Townpark, School-lane, Glibo, and Park North, and the portions of the Townlands of Breensfield East, Breensfield West, Castlebrinna, and Kuckgriffin, described in the Order, all situate in the Midleton Electoral Division.
Townland of Ballyhenock.	6th January, 1884.	Sinking a well and erecting a pump.	—	The Lightenmurrigh Electoral Division.
MCCORMACK UNION. Townland of Derrycastles.	22nd June, 1884.	Sinking a well and erecting a pump.	—	The Townlands of Ballyhenock, Connemurragh, and Derrycastles, situate in the Glenties Electoral Division.
Town of Maryborough (Green Road).	11th July, 1884.	—	Making a sewer.	The Townlands of Maryborough, Maryborough, Clonsilla, and Kilsomet, in the Maryborough Electoral Division.
Ballybrittas.	17th July, 1884.	Sinking a well and erecting a pump.	—	The Townlands of Ballybrittas, Ballyshannet, and Tullaghan, situate in the Ballybrittas Electoral Division.
Kilmeahy.	23rd July, 1884.	Deepening a well and lengthening a pump.	—	The Townlands of Ballybrittas, Ballyshannet, and Tullaghan, situate in the Ballybrittas Electoral Division.



MULLINGAR UNION: Town of Mullingar.	14th February, 1886.	Supply of water.	—	The Townlands or portions of Townlands included within the limits or boundary of the Township of Mullingar, situate in the Mullingar Electoral Division.
NAVAN UNION: Rosedown. Bathenny.	10th December, 1885. 5th January, 1886.	Providing a pump. Do.	—	The Strathallen Electoral Division. The Rathkeany Electoral Division.
OLDCASTLE UNION: Ardglass.	1st September, 1885.	Sinking a well.	—	The Townlands of Ardglassea, Carnedraes, and Chenebreny, in the Greenock Electoral Division.
QUINNERS UNION: Village of Cloonbar.	13th August, 1885.	—	Sewerage or drainage works.	The Townlands of Cloonbar and Rathcen West, situate in the Cloonbar Electoral Division.
RATHDOWN UNION: Village of Sandystead.	13th January, 1886.	Supply of water.	—	The Townlands of Redilly and Murphysstown, situate respectively in the Dunderum and Glencullen Electoral Divisions.
RATHKEALE UNION: Corycarr.	17th July, 1885.	Sinking a well and erecting a pump. Do.	—	The Kilsheen Electoral Division.
Ballynamona. Morgans North.	15th September, 1885. 8th October, 1885.	Erecting a pump.	—	The Townland of Ballynamona in the Kilsheen Electoral Division. The Townland of Morgans North, situate in the Aughlish Electoral Division.
SKIBBERDEN UNION: Village of United Hall.	22nd April, 1885.	Supply of water.	—	The Myross Electoral Division.
THOMASTOWN UNION: Town of Goresbridge.	14th April, 1885.	Repairing a pump. Supply of water.	—	The portion, described in the Order, of the Townland of Barrowmounth, situate in the Goresbridge Electoral Division. The portion, described in the Order, of the Townland of Graiguenamanagh, situate in the Graiguenamanagh Electoral Division.
TIPPERARY UNION: Village of Anascarty. Village of Doon. Village of Cappagh.	14th April, 1885.	Sinking a well and erecting a pump.	Constructing reservoir and sewer. Constructing sewers and cesspits.	The Electoral Division of Donohill. The Electoral Divisions of Eilbon, Cappagh, Glangar, and Oola. The Electoral Division of Cappagh.

STATEMENT of ORDERS issued under the 232nd Section of the PUBLIC HEALTH (IRELAND) ACT, 1878, determining the AREA of CHARGE on which the SPECIAL EXPENSES mentioned in such Orders respectively shall be chargeable—continued.

NAME OF UNION, TOWN, VILLAGE, OR PLACE.	Date of Order.	Purposes for which Incurred or to be Incurred.		AREA OF CHARGE.
		Water Supply, &c.	Sewerage, &c.	
TOBERMORRY UNION: TOWN of TOBERMORRY.	17th December, 1885.	—	Constructing a sewer.	The portions described in the Order, of the Townlands of Carrowaholier and Tobermurry, situate in the Tobermurry Electoral Division.
TRALEE UNION: Village of Knocknagoshel.	25th September, 1885.	Providing a pump.	—	The Knocknagoshel Electoral Division.
TRIM UNION: Townland of Laracor.	18th September, 1885.	Supply of water.	—	The Townland of Laracor, situate in the Laracor Electoral Division, and the Townland of Knightbrook, situate in the Trim Electoral Division.
UNIONFORD UNIONS: Village of Lisdowey.	13th August, 1885.	Sinking a well.	—	The Townlands of Ballyring Lower, Lisdowey, and Thunaslady, in the Lisdowey Electoral Division.
Village of Ballydos.	21st October, 1885.	Do.	—	The Baulick Electoral Division, and the Townland of Melleen, situate in the Portlaoine Electoral Division.
FENNER CROSS.	5th January, 1886.	Do.	—	The Fenner Electoral Division.
WEXFORD UNION: Township.	24th July, 1885.	Sinking a well and erecting a pump.	—	The Taumshin Electoral Division.
DOUGGALLA.	19th January, 1886.	Do.	—	The Electoral Division of Banane, and the Townlands of Ballingheen, Barrytown, Buncesstown, Galtree, Sheestown, and Whittyfield, situate in the Electoral Division of Hardtown.
KILINICK.		Do.	—	The Townlands of Anally Little, Fennyhill, Kilinick, and Sanctuary, in the Electoral Division of Kilinick.
YONGHAL UNION: Village of Ballymacoda.	22nd April, 1885.	Supply of water.	—	The Kilmacdonagh Electoral Division.

APPENDIX D.

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TABLES CONNECTED WITH POOR RELIEF AND  
EXPENDITURE.

No. 1.—A RETURN (in pursuance of the 29th Section of the Act 10 Vic., cap. 31) RELIEVED in and out of the Workhouse, together with the RECEIPTS in each EXPENDITURE under the Medical Charities and Vaccination Acts, the National School Teachers, and the Parliamentary Voters, Jurors, and Explo. Poor Rates during the Year.

## PART 1.—RETURN showing the Receipts and Expenditure

Name of County and Union.	Receipts.					Total Receipts during the Year, exclusive of Poor Rate.	Expenditure.				
	Amount of Poor Rate Lodges.	Parish- vestry Grant.	Other Receipts, including repayment of Subsidy by rate of Local Council, &c.	Amount of Loans.	Total Receipts during the Year, exclusive of Poor Rate.		Food Rate Lodges.	In- Main- tenance.	Out- Relief.	Maintenance of Relief and Poor and other relief in the form of grants, &c.	Reli- gious Ex- penditure.
1.	2.	3.	4.	5.	6.	7.	8.	9.	10.	11.	12.
<b>PROVINCE OF ULSTER.</b>	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
<b>ANTRIM.</b>											
Antrim, . . . . .	4,703	869	73	-	5,645	20	1,427	802	-	-	-
Ballycastle, . . . . .	1,967	334	90	-	2,391	-	787	18	-	-	-
Ballymena, . . . . .	7,020	268	30	-	7,318	-	2,065	1,043	191	-	-
Ballymoney, . . . . .	3,718	513	78	2,600	6,909	-	1,000	571	15	-	-
Belfast, . . . . .	49,063	3,683	971	556	54,273	-	21,793	2,121	457	-	-
Larne, . . . . .	5,954	499	46	1,894	7,393	-	1,783	974	35	-	-
Lisburn, . . . . .	5,729	829	37	-	6,595	-	1,365	606	56	-	-
<b>ARMAGH.</b>											
Armagh, . . . . .	4,191	1,633	127	-	5,951	30	2,192	57	25	-	-
Lisburn, . . . . .	6,480	828	148	-	7,456	-	2,822	550	59	-	-
<b>CAYN.</b>											
Bailieborough, . . . . .	3,467	377	13	-	3,857	10	1,073	456	37	-	-
Bewkeley, . . . . .	1,725	333	7	-	2,065	954	632	747	-	-	14
Cavan, . . . . .	4,779	947	42	-	5,768	1,033	2,356	1,154	86	-	-
Castledillon, . . . . .	2,008	421	5	-	2,434	90	794	276	77	-	-
<b>DONOGAL.</b>											
Ballyshannon, . . . . .	3,850	281	34	-	4,165	-	1,140	376	-	-	-
Donaghal, . . . . .	2,460	428	45	-	2,933	261	677	142	20	-	-
Dunmurry, . . . . .	1,264	288	-	-	1,552	423	341	11	-	-	-
Glenties, . . . . .	2,666	546	26	50	3,288	248	724	680	-	-	-
Inishowen, . . . . .	3,688	555	49	-	4,292	1,361	889	993	-	-	-
Letterkenny, . . . . .	1,566	273	1	-	1,840	313	841	8	35	-	-
Midford, . . . . .	2,573	605	21	-	3,199	467	515	26	-	-	-
Stranorlar, . . . . .	1,908	285	21	-	2,214	16	456	27	26	-	-
<b>DOW.</b>											
Banbridge, . . . . .	5,204	608	128	-	5,940	16	1,451	1,624	65	-	-
Downpatrick, . . . . .	4,122	665	51	256	5,094	-	1,557	253	14	-	-
Kirkcubbin, . . . . .	2,197	379	6	-	2,582	8	504	166	47	-	-
Norwy, . . . . .	6,736	1,015	249	-	7,990	-	2,529	1,769	207	-	-
Northdown, . . . . .	5,831	757	149	-	6,737	-	2,154	1,336	62	-	5
<b>FERMANAGH.</b>											
Enniskillen, . . . . .	5,900	569	136	-	6,595	-	1,707	66	22	-	5
Irvinestown, . . . . .	2,668	329	24	-	3,021	-	866	49	-	-	-
Lisnaskea, . . . . .	2,680	332	23	100	3,135	4	977	342	-	-	-
<b>LONDONDERRY.</b>											
Coleraine, . . . . .	5,448	551	63	-	6,062	-	905	1,033	28	-	-
Lisnady, . . . . .	2,789	464	70	-	3,323	-	895	5	-	-	-
Londonderry, . . . . .	2,169	900	513	-	3,582	122	1,762	107	321	-	-
Magherafelt, . . . . .	4,437	557	37	-	5,031	164	2,478	268	26	-	-
<b>MONAGHAN.</b>											
Carrickmacross, . . . . .	2,756	374	31	-	3,161	4	1,304	295	99	-	-
Castledillon, . . . . .	3,187	426	55	-	3,668	-	1,263	549	68	-	-
Clones, . . . . .	1,885	382	14	-	2,281	-	664	16	-	-	-
Monaghan, . . . . .	2,671	559	199	-	3,429	23	1,366	-	27	-	-
<b>TYRONE.</b>											
Castlederg, . . . . .	1,407	249	7	-	1,663	16	313	4	30	-	-
Clagher, . . . . .	2,929	421	22	-	3,372	59	625	296	23	-	9
Co. Tyrone, . . . . .	4,186	417	51	-	4,654	103	826	485	96	-	-
Dungannon, . . . . .	6,549	541	176	1,000	8,266	18	1,583	711	94	-	-
Geoghegan, . . . . .	1,255	189	9	-	1,453	-	319	117	54	-	-
Omagh, . . . . .	4,735	644	485	-	5,864	69	2,474	401	69	-	-
Strabane, . . . . .	7,904	611	71	-	8,586	70	2,031	945	41	-	-
<b>Total, 1863.</b>	224,628	25,369	4,129	5,664	239,790	4,263	73,798	23,176	2,453	41	-
<b>ULSTER, 1864.</b>	229,321	25,412	6,006	11,777	248,516	11,065	79,485	21,436	2,369	908	-
<b>Increase,</b>	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2,260	84	-	-
<b>Decrease,</b>	10,693	13	2,677	6,713	19,466	4,783	5,787	-	-	937	-

of the EXPENDITURE on the RELIEF of the POOR, and of the TOTAL NUMBERS UNION in IRELAND, for the Year ended 29th September, 1885; also showing the Registration, Public Health, Superannuation, Labourers, Contagious Diseases (Animals), and the amount of Loans repaid, and the TOTAL EXPENDITURE out of the

of Unions during the Year ended 29th September, 1885.

Expenditure. (continued)												NAME OF COUNTY AND UNION.
Extra- mural and Relief of Others.	All other Poor Relief Expendi- ture.	Total Poor Relief Expendi- ture.	Expenditure under Medical Charities and Vaccination Acts.	Expenditure under the Acts for Registration of Births, Deaths, and Mar- riages.	Expenditure under the Public Health Act.		Expenditure under the Superannuation Act.	Expenditure under the Labourers Act.	Expenditure under the Contagious Diseases (Animals) Act.	Pay- ments under National School Dues Act.		
					For Sanitary purposes.	For Local Improvements.						
17.	18.	19.	20.	21.	22.	23.	24.	25.	26.	27.	28.	
£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	
PROVINCE OF ULSTER.												
ANTRIM.												
986	760	3,264	807	72	194	26	44	-	107	-	Andrus.	
435	278	1,518	458	38	61	-	5	-	53	-	Ballycastle.	
1,107	399	5,745	2,220	132	192	50	-	-	124	-	Ballymena.	
903	441	2,750	829	62	1,045	125	193	-	100	-	Ballymoney.	
5,479	7,217	37,869	4,669	707	560	55	23	-	950	3,278	Belfast.	
788	512	4,090	751	83	1,098	1	-	-	140	618	Larne.	
690	673	3,930	1,374	135	231	-	-	-	255	459	Lisburn.	
ARMAGH.												
618	1,280	4,445	1,658	190	240	-	160	-	994	-	Armagh.	
692	849	3,479	1,130	150	275	100	65	-	230	-	Lurgan.	
CAYN.												
454	327	2,350	186	34	167	-	32	-	49	-	Ballisborough.	
435	308	2,216	157	42	127	8	20	-	74	-	Bewboy.	
198	1,080	5,288	1,606	68	455	67	73	76	131	-	Cavan.	
622	450	2,109	638	40	130	15	15	-	121	-	Cootshill.	
DOWN.												
422	602	3,002	750	48	171	2	10	-	71	-	Ballysammone.	
429	273	1,844	730	40	154	17	-	-	51	-	Donagh.	
506	324	849	431	20	79	3	-	-	36	-	Dunmurry.	
497	304	1,491	1,465	69	168	-	30	-	10	-	Glenties.	
507	601	3,729	1,006	62	185	-	27	-	173	-	Inishowen.	
446	399	1,939	460	28	83	6	-	-	51	-	Letterkenny.	
488	318	1,283	759	44	220	20	-	-	54	361	Millford.	
479	338	1,543	492	25	144	-	67	-	38	-	Stranella.	
DOWNS.												
661	711	4,902	1,014	120	268	73	30	-	212	-	Hambridge.	
830	572	3,267	1,285	100	778	-	48	-	201	470	Downpatrick.	
407	284	1,232	656	90	190	1	13	-	54	-	Kilkeel.	
1,201	994	6,036	1,784	145	342	-	83	-	260	663	Newry.	
664	593	3,013	1,124	98	241	116	-	-	161	-	Newtownards.	
FERMANAGH.												
797	126	3,243	1,072	70	800	26	142	13	179	617	Enniskillen.	
451	366	1,291	544	28	114	7	17	-	73	-	Ipsinstown.	
430	283	2,129	620	20	105	2	59	-	70	-	Lisnaskea.	
LONDONDERRY.												
623	861	3,800	920	73	313	8	151	-	150	-	Coleraine.	
540	340	1,261	725	62	222	-	70	-	86	-	Lisnady.	
812	1,015	4,617	1,866	133	322	17	26	-	220	-	Londonderry.	
631	606	3,030	915	93	207	20	21	-	122	-	Magherafelt.	
MONAGHAN.												
467	341	2,297	520	26	222	4	-	-	94	-	Carrikmacross.	
788	470	3,638	843	68	515	-	-	-	130	-	Castledown.	
413	300	1,203	463	30	101	-	100	-	67	-	Clones.	
592	477	3,229	658	69	155	-	33	-	145	-	Monaghan.	
TYNENE.												
376	127	888	358	26	77	1	-	-	27	-	Castlederg.	
502	560	2,015	622	28	142	7	10	-	81	11	Clagher.	
553	380	2,270	733	58	460	30	280	-	82	7	Cookstown.	
648	607	3,203	960	78	2,050	16	-	-	120	620	Dungannon.	
588	156	899	326	23	43	1	-	-	22	-	Gortin.	
705	608	3,245	1,097	77	932	95	115	-	169	-	Omagh.	
690	569	3,242	1,133	70	424	90	90	-	120	400	Stranella.	
51,802	26,417	160,912	41,776	3,795	15,507	640	2,612	49	4,936	11,228	1883, 1	
51,869	26,420	171,137	42,333	3,572	15,585	1,774	1,685	179	5,071	9,695	1884, 1	
-	-	-	-	127	-	-	20	-	63	1,750	Total.	
166	5,003	10,548	247	-	6,981	895	-	130	-	-	Increase.	
-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	Decrease.	

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PART I.—RETURN showing the Receipts and Expenditure of Unions during the Year ended 29th September, 1885—continued.

Expenditure—[continued].				Amount of Expenditure included in Column 27, defrayed out of Local.		Amount paid to Commissioners of Public Works under Road Supply Act.	Valuation on 25th Sept. 1885.	Furniture on the Valuation.	
NAME OF COUNTY UNION.	EXPENDITURE UNDER THE PARLIAMENTARY VOTE, AND EXPENDITURE ACT.	EXPENDITURE OF LOCAL.	TOTAL EXPENDITURE DURING THE YEAR, EXCLUDING THE AMOUNT OF THE LOCAL RATE, AND ON ACCOUNT OF LOCAL ROAD SUPPLY ACT.	POOR RELIEF.	OTHER EXPENDITURE.			OF RECEIPTS FOR BRIDGES OF THE POOR (COL. 14, estimate of the amount shown in Col. 15).	OF TOTAL EXPENDITURE ON THE VALUATION OF THE AMOUNT SHOWN IN COL. 14 AND 15.
24.	25.	26.	27.	28.	29.	30.	31.	32.	33.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	s. d.	s. d.
PROVINCE OF ULSTER.									
ANTRIM.									
Antrim, . . . . .	108	—	5,238	—	—	—	125,528	0 74	0 104
Ballycastle, . . . . .	117	—	2,280	—	—	—	44,957	0 64	1 04
Ballymena, . . . . .	154	—	7,648	—	—	—	131,005	0 104	1 0
Ballymoney, . . . . .	122	308	5,659	—	1,275	—	85,800	0 5	1 14
Belfast, . . . . .	694	3,000	52,458	—	—	—	734,535	1 01	1 34
Larne, . . . . .	285	312	8,247	—	1,311	—	186,671	0 94	1 42
Lisburn, . . . . .	161	40	6,955	—	—	—	175,583	0 54	0 92
ARMAGH.									
Armagh, . . . . .	323	200	7,313	—	—	—	206,004	0 53	0 84
Lurgan, . . . . .	104	33	7,712	—	—	—	143,385	0 62	1 02
CAVAN.									
Balleeshorough, . . . . .	90	—	3,438	—	—	—	40,285	1 2	1 82
Barnaby, . . . . .	113	96	3,257	—	—	—	30,892	1 14	1 72
Cavan, . . . . .	179	—	7,833	—	—	—	112,918	0 12	1 42
Cootehill, . . . . .	84	—	3,189	—	—	—	78,983	0 7	0 104
DOWN.									
Ballyhennessy, . . . . .	44	16	3,714	—	—	255	86,885	1 04	1 54
Down, . . . . .	33	—	3,386	—	—	335	34,467	1 04	1 0
Donaghadee, . . . . .	31	49	1,430	—	—	271	11,485	1 04	1 0
Glenties, . . . . .	70	—	3,336	—	60	750	20,467	1 11	1 34
Inishowen, . . . . .	49	86	4,285	—	—	1,490	30,148	1 42	2 34
Letterkenny, . . . . .	53	—	3,350	—	—	513	31,423	1 04	1 0
Millfield, . . . . .	89	69	3,070	—	—	—	90,777	0 11	2 02
Stranorlar, . . . . .	87	—	3,000	—	—	—	30,430	0 54	1 4
DUBLIN.									
Blackbridge, . . . . .	160	—	6,808	—	—	—	168,305	0 74	0 104
Downpatrick, . . . . .	154	294	7,032	—	45	—	177,699	0 44	0 54
Kilkeel, . . . . .	27	363	2,888	—	—	—	44,030	0 74	1 2
Newry, . . . . .	183	340	10,004	—	—	—	170,397	0 04	1 3
Newtownards, . . . . .	141	—	6,888	—	—	—	161,331	0 62	0 114
FERMANAGH.									
Enniskillen, . . . . .	100	302	6,250	19	—	—	107,174	0 74	1 04
Irvinestown, . . . . .	58	25	2,445	—	—	—	40,190	0 72	1 0
Lisnaskea, . . . . .	77	23	3,105	—	—	—	50,004	0 62	1 2
LONDONDERRY.									
Coleraine, . . . . .	141	390	5,720	—	—	—	103,250	0 84	1 14
Lisnavea, . . . . .	146	311	3,564	—	36	—	60,430	0 54	0 114
Londonderry, . . . . .	322	—	5,548	—	—	—	163,011	0 04	0 94
Magherafelt, . . . . .	60	—	4,492	—	—	—	92,468	0 8	0 114
MONAGHAN.									
Carrickmacross, . . . . .	54	—	3,900	—	—	—	50,842	0 114	1 34
Castleblayney, . . . . .	76	—	4,679	—	—	—	75,010	0 94	1 22
Clones, . . . . .	72	—	2,205	—	—	—	57,659	0 58	0 94
Monaghan, . . . . .	75	—	3,724	—	—	—	94,943	0 6	0 94
TYRONE.									
Castlederg, . . . . .	25	59	1,488	—	—	—	24,200	0 8	1 14
Clogher, . . . . .	72	—	3,028	—	—	—	34,256	0 84	1 14
Coeknaw, . . . . .	165	200	4,380	—	—	—	85,467	0 94	1 4
Dungannon, . . . . .	105	934	8,150	—	1,286	—	95,440	0 94	1 4
Gortin, . . . . .	93	—	1,437	—	—	—	19,530	0 11	1 54
Omagh, . . . . .	112	752	5,502	—	—	—	94,970	0 84	1 44
Strabane, . . . . .	142	167	7,094	—	—	—	100,711	0 84	1 5
Total, { 1885, . . . . .	5,138	9,359	251,790	12	4,506	6,389	4,237,257	9 9	1 2
ULSTER, { 1884, . . . . .	4,590	7,524	271,264	287	11,558	9,585	4,237,200	0 94	1 34
Increase, . . . . .	548	1,835	—	—	—	—	50,057	—	—
Decrease, . . . . .	—	—	14,601	285	7,052	3,196	—	0 04	0 02



## PART I.—RETURN showing the Receipts and Expenditure

[continued.]				Expenditure								
Name of County and Urban.	Salaries and Expenses of Officers.	All other Free School Expendi- ture.	Total Free School Expendi- ture.	Expenses under the Acts for Medical Charities and Vaccination Acts.	Expenses under the Acts for Registration of Births, Deaths, and Marriages.	Expenses under the Public Health Act.		Ex- penditure under the Registration Act.	Ex- penditure under the Labi- ourers Act.	Ex- penditure under the Con- ditional Dues (Land Rate) Act.	Ex- penditure under the National School Teachers Act.	
						For Sanitary Purposes.	For Bridges and Roads.					
12.	13.	14.	15.	16.	17.	18.	19.	20.	21.	22.	23.	
<b>PROVINCE OF MUNSTER.</b>	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	
Ballyvaughan, . . .	316	288	1,798	140	8	188	-	61	-	86	80	
Corrofin, . . .	374	283	9,243	165	12	51	54	94	8	31	-	
Knares, . . .	1,059	894	6,847	372	81	380	11	121	7	48	-	
Knocklyon, . . .	122	844	4,253	617	60	167	10	33	-	45	-	
Killybegs, . . .	422	312	2,209	826	53	79	8	1	-	36	-	
Killybegs, . . .	804	694	2,041	767	70	609	45	77	-	134	-	
Kearney, . . .	585	319	2,636	498	23	146	3	-	1	74	-	
Tulla, . . .	585	358	2,784	267	22	274	8	-	2,632	66	-	
<b>CORK.</b>												
Bandon, . . .	788	591	3,465	1,768	49	1,160	-	24	-	132	-	
Bantry, . . .	373	172	1,478	559	54	281	-	-	-	43	-	
Castletown, . . .	380	330	1,743	266	25	147	9	66	-	25	-	
Chesilghy, . . .	521	353	2,980	502	36	681	-	-	-	165	15	
Cork, . . .	4,668	4,360	43,508	5,665	379	2,261	201	484	24	662	120	
Dunmanway, . . .	510	270	2,538	564	32	183	19	115	-	49	-	
Fermain, . . .	1,034	649	4,998	1,691	66	936	-	52	-	156	-	
Kinsale, . . .	916	384	7,498	1,082	85	263	32	202	3	143	-	
Kinsale, . . .	640	410	2,210	714	47	820	11	53	3	98	-	
Macroom, . . .	700	608	3,465	1,028	66	137	25	216	30	69	-	
Midleton, . . .	919	1,168	7,538	1,794	56	886	165	126	104	164	-	
Midleton, . . .	963	691	5,646	1,661	82	444	13	173	1	167	610	
Midleton, . . .	517	462	2,569	418	34	175	133	118	-	41	11	
Midleton, . . .	711	708	3,242	569	35	141	5	10	1,690	77	-	
Midleton, . . .	711	1,044	5,238	994	58	218	44	214	-	82	-	
Skull, . . .	424	296	2,069	383	31	79	5	5	22	16	-	
Youghal, . . .	705	629	4,471	1,289	38	229	6	140	219	72	-	
<b>KERRY.</b>												
Chelmsford, . . .	515	319	2,608	899	57	123	29	81	-	63	-	
Dingle, . . .	380	307	2,243	814	46	94	70	167	-	32	-	
Kemmare, . . .	338	330	2,516	653	38	187	27	110	-	46	-	
Killarney, . . .	1,187	925	8,029	1,550	108	444	79	226	129	378	-	
Lisdoon, . . .	747	888	3,241	795	73	168	65	90	62	132	-	
Trillick, . . .	1,034	1,300	5,541	1,588	99	497	75	234	496	127	-	
<b>LIMERICK.</b>												
Croagh, . . .	687	416	3,215	642	36	443	22	70	1,568	114	-	
Clon, . . .	612	366	3,467	487	32	537	-	56	-	12	-	
Killeshock, . . .	1,684	2,772	13,753	1,240	68	1,375	67	484	2,662	365	30	
Limerick, . . .	2,721	2,961	23,714	1,663	182	711	63	422	2,882	398	96	
Shanahan, . . .	858	681	2,630	617	64	345	12	6	4,716	199	-	
Shanahan, . . .	775	653	4,622	776	34	369	30	-	1,563	124	-	
<b>TIPPERARY.</b>												
Barrington, . . .	456	283	2,603	460	18	732	-	28	42	74	-	
Carraig-on-Suir, . . .	568	591	3,899	777	50	235	1	91	833	138	-	
Cashel, . . .	1,112	1,134	8,365	680	81	313	91	148	-	122	-	
Claghra, . . .	838	713	3,932	683	39	576	3	96	50	125	644	
Clonmel, . . .	1,171	1,297	6,625	1,493	54	219	4	115	-	167	-	
Neame, . . .	873	1,060	6,515	1,065	39	359	-	75	4,316	149	-	
Rooskey, . . .	812	481	3,262	694	34	444	-	-	1	166	-	
Thurles, . . .	645	379	3,716	1,109	50	216	-	61	-	124	-	
Tipperary, . . .	1,115	1,240	11,267	1,832	85	533	34	47	-	142	-	
<b>WATERFORD.</b>												
Dungannon, . . .	605	662	5,884	777	46	135	7	105	80	166	-	
Kilmeath, . . .	606	575	3,771	343	21	183	-	16	-	29	-	
Lisnake, . . .	678	429	3,507	700	36	268	8	79	1,137	51	-	
Waterford, . . .	2,043	1,708	14,428	2,467	146	364	42	116	10	128	-	
<b>Total 1885, Munster, 1886,</b>	44,688	41,556	307,659	44,201	2,889	10,381	1,424	5,022	25,313	6,647	1,620	
	45,790	45,628	328,595	44,708	2,792	17,076	1,568	5,072	1,912	5,656	1,332	
<b>Increase,</b>	-	-	-	1,507	67	2,511	-	-	23,401	991	298	
<b>Decrease,</b>	1,102	4,362	21,336	-	-	-	178	40	-	-	-	



of Unions during the Year ended 29th September, 1885—continued.

Expenditure.			Amount of Expenditure included in Column 26, defrayed out of Loans.		Amount paid to Consistories of Public Schools, &c.	Valuation on 25th Sept., 1885.	Deductions on the Valuation.			Names of Districts and Unions.
Expenditure under the Parliamentary Voters, Juveniles, and Expensive Acts.	Repayment of Loans.	Total Expenditure during the Year, exclusive of payments on account of Loans under short supply Act.	Power Rating.	Other Expenditure.			Of Expenditure for Relief of the Poor (Col. 31), & of Expenditure for other purposes (Col. 32).	Of Total Expenditure, exclusive of the amounts of the same (Col. 33 and 34).		
24.	25.	26.	27.	28.	29.	30.	31.	32.	33.	
£.	£.	£.	£.	£.	£.	£.	s. d.	s. d.		
PROVINCE OF MUNSTER.										
CLARE.										
24	994	2,405	-	-	224	19,845	1 0	2 54	Ballyvaughan.	
42	-	2,464	-	-	342	20,327	2 0	2 5	Corrodin.	
109	34	5,383	-	217	-	74,100	1 10	2 30	Knock.	
83	532	5,979	-	-	506	36,804	2 58	3 1	Ennistymon.	
30	16	2,341	-	-	405	25,405	2 20	2 8	Kiladyreagh.	
135	406	8,034	-	-	1,220	45,700	2 40	3 04	Kilrush.	
20	-	2,097	-	-	834	25,867	2 04	2 71	Scoriff.	
80	26	7,394	-	2,843	-	35,406	2 04	2 8	Tulla.	
COOM.										
60	5	4,503	-	593	-	73,739	0 114	1 04	Bandon.	
54	9	2,428	-	-	-	22,047	1 4	2 25	Bantry.	
39	-	2,451	-	-	-	12,006	0 105	4 04	Castlebar.	
14	6	4,000	-	500	-	30,823	1 2	1 6	Glenties.	
490	1,048	57,167	-	-	-	355,397	2 7	3 23	Cork.	
60	50	3,375	-	-	-	33,994	1 45	2 42	Dunmanway.	
43	67	6,632	-	500	-	161,708	0 95	1 25	Ferry.	
122	92	9,061	-	-	1,760	77,362	1 114	2 6	Keshmuck.	
74	93	3,400	-	-	-	49,060	0 81	1 12	Kinsale.	
86	293	7,041	-	-	-	63,855	1 7	2 22	Monroon.	
94	977	10,727	-	781	-	104,615	1 44	1 12	Malbeg.	
55	91	2,253	-	-	-	94,323	1 42	1 114	Midleton.	
57	94	4,594	-	-	1,181	27,994	2 6	2 34	Millstreet.	
68	85	6,097	-	1,000	-	45,084	1 54	2 114	Midleton.	
96	33	6,910	-	-	1,135	44,973	2 24	2 114	Skibbereen.	
15	-	2,028	-	-	421	15,091	2 94	3 6	Skull.	
73	43	6,955	-	553	-	50,858	1 6	2 04	Youghal.	
KERRY.										
69	185	3,982	-	-	1	26,999	2 34	3 54	Cahirciveen.	
33	185	1,262	-	-	-	22,979	2 32	3 52	Dingle.	
104	106	3,091	-	-	557	19,557	2 7	3 94	Kenmare.	
95	-	11,265	-	-	796	70,417	2 34	2 114	Killarney.	
99	160	7,400	-	24	-	63,492	1 112	2 84	Lisdoon.	
134	650	15,941	-	-	1,406	87,528	2 34	3 04	Trillick.	
LIMERICK.										
116	78	8,392	-	1,503	247	63,528	1 72	2 14	Croom.	
38	110	4,858	-	-	-	26,404	2 50	3 5	Glou.	
117	84	10,784	-	2,092	1,000	136,967	2 4	2 7	Kilmallock.	
129	93	20,674	-	5,899	-	197,991	2 5	2 04	Limerick.	
144	44	12,177	-	4,794	-	63,043	1 104	2 4	Newcastle.	
162	211	9,887	-	1,804	443	50,239	2 31	2 104	Redcliffe.	
TIPPERARY.										
50	-	3,307	-	898	-	41,790	0 114	1 44	Borrisokane.	
89	-	5,863	-	775	-	70,336	0 114	1 74	Carlow-on-Sule.	
91	-	10,065	-	-	-	107,482	1 62	1 104	Cashel.	
127	-	9,219	-	-	-	63,288	1 2	1 114	Claghra.	
166	12	8,777	-	450	-	71,946	1 10	2 34	Cinnel.	
129	-	12,467	-	4,174	-	94,763	1 64	1 9	Enragh.	
100	6	4,000	-	-	-	71,677	0 114	1 34	Roosna.	
83	40	7,457	-	-	-	50,840	1 34	1 74	Thurles.	
114	64	14,517	-	400	793	141,961	1 7	1 114	Tipperary.	
WATERFORD.										
91	156	7,390	-	-	-	53,020	2 2	2 9	Dungarvan.	
62	-	3,371	-	-	-	33,292	1 8	2 04	Kilmacshann.	
52	35	5,344	-	739	-	80,149	1 24	1 10	Lismore.	
206	868	17,791	-	-	-	130,632	1 104	2 52	Waterford.	
4,634	7,090	427,538	-	27,020	14,672	3,122,675	1 94	2 4	1885, 1	
3,898	9,013	421,224	-	1,070	22,341	3,110,908	1 102	2 52	1884, 1	
Total.										
812	-	4,914	-	26,020	-	2,687	-	-	Increase.	
-	1,067	-	-	488	-	7,080	-	0 14	Decrease.	

## PART I.—RETURN showing the Receipts and Expenditure

NAME OF COUNTY AND TOWNSHIP.	Receipts.					Good Done Lodged.	Expenditure.				
	Amount of Poor Rate Lodged.	Forti- century Grant.	Other Receipts, including property of Relief by way of Loans, Grants, &c.	Amount of Loans.	Total Receipts during the Year, exclusive of Good Done.		For Main- tenance.	Out- Relief.	Maintenance of Relief and Good Done, and cost of Relief in Hospitals.	Pro- visional Ex- penditure.	
1.	2.	3.	4.	5.	6.	7.	8.	9.	10.	11.	
PROVINCE OF LEINSTER	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	
CARLOW.	31,046	979	152	-	14,178	27	4,077	3,223	40	6	
DUBLIN.											
Bathurst.	6,251	624	73	210	7,158	-	1,145	1,230	10	-	
Dublin, North.	46,019	2,757	7,123	-	55,749	-	26,074	3,093	1,272	15	
Dublin, South.	26,315	2,064	6,785	-	35,144	-	99,218	4,251	1,975	32	
Rathdown.	16,010	1,225	1,139	-	18,344	-	7,245	412	948	-	
KILDARE.											
Athy.	9,361	774	45	499	10,682	9	3,689	1,836	51	-	
Culbridge.	6,289	495	43	-	6,796	17	1,712	1,662	-	3	
Naas.	8,936	889	437	-	10,262	76	3,060	2,800	35	-	
KILKENNY.											
Callan.	7,561	759	17	-	8,337	103	2,717	1,577	82	1	
Castlemoyle.	4,138	435	10	-	4,579	51	1,413	778	9	7	
Kilkenney.	10,405	937	915	-	11,832	-	4,670	1,806	-	5	
Thomastown.	4,512	427	15	-	4,954	0	1,699	1,096	17	3	
Urkisford.	3,816	558	17	-	4,391	-	1,753	492	25	-	
KING'S CO.											
Edenderry.	4,029	628	105	-	4,762	-	1,883	795	34	-	
Purcellstown.	4,941	809	97	-	5,847	80	1,348	982	32	30	
Yallamore.	8,077	581	79	-	8,746	782	3,236	2,221	16	11	
LONGFORD.											
Ballyvaughan.	3,769	536	7	-	4,112	-	1,356	526	49	1	
Gorman.	6,759	617	63	-	7,439	1,039	1,814	2,165	50	41	
Longford.	7,341	603	206	-	7,970	1,159	2,415	1,702	74	18	
LOUTH.											
Ardee.	4,695	547	39	309	5,590	3	1,999	1,402	25	-	
Drogheda.	9,243	734	275	2,045	12,307	24	2,782	2,034	159	-	
Dunblain.	7,888	628	133	-	8,773	-	2,284	2,504	110	-	
MEATH.											
Dunsinghlin.	4,238	591	49	298	4,986	-	1,335	1,078	16	-	
Kells.	9,329	666	49	-	9,794	-	2,535	2,307	48	8	
Navan.	7,899	618	142	-	8,499	-	1,916	3,057	30	-	
Oxlestown.	4,641	451	42	-	5,134	513	1,685	909	68	27	
Trim.	8,884	579	55	-	9,478	-	2,689	2,734	59	6	
QUEEN'S CO.											
Abbeyleix.	5,071	478	93	-	5,642	8	1,461	1,857	34	-	
Donaghmore.	2,286	218	42	-	2,546	5	1,169	310	18	2	
Mountmellick.	9,834	766	129	400	11,133	50	2,796	3,197	45	-	
WESTMATH.											
Athlone.	5,748	623	452	-	6,823	-	2,038	1,895	77	10	
Dublin.	3,887	263	16	4,850	8,116	-	868	674	28	-	
Mullingar.	10,564	785	911	-	11,860	13	2,501	3,272	145	18	
WEXFORD.											
Enniscorthy.	6,604	817	31	-	7,452	23	2,419	2,644	35	34	
Geary.	4,366	524	5	516	5,411	-	1,755	535	15	-	
New Ross.	11,412	817	107	-	12,336	213	3,754	2,869	29	39	
Wexford.	9,019	713	65	2,653	12,450	-	3,456	1,758	67	-	
WICKLOW.											
Ballinglass.	5,817	550	23	-	6,390	-	2,080	1,002	9	-	
Bathurst.	7,934	651	54	-	8,639	-	2,529	2,170	17	27	
Shillelagh.	5,393	343	11	-	5,747	-	1,814	180	93	-	
Total, } 1885, LEINSTER, } 1884.	381,939	29,866	18,890	11,485	441,469	4,131	148,932	69,220	6,187	306	
	468,010	28,080	19,545	17,128	532,763	6,186	162,222	81,037	4,581	456	
Increase.	-	176	-	-	-	-	-	803	606	-	
Decrease.	20,078	-	775	5,643	66,297	2,054	14,290	-	-	150	

of Unions during the Year ended 29th September, 1885—continued.

Expenditure.												(continued.)
Salaries and Fees of Officers.	All other Poor Relief Expendi- ture.	Total Poor Relief Expendi- ture.	Expenses under Medical Charities and Vaccina- tion Acts.	Expenses under the Acts for Relief of Lunatics, Beggars, and Marriages.	Expenses under the Public Health Act.		Ex- penses under the Leprosy Act.	Ex- penses under the Leprosy Act.	Ex- penses under the Leprosy Act.	Ex- penses under the Leprosy Act.	Ex- penses under the Leprosy Act.	Name of County and Union.
					For Sanitary Purposes.	For Bridges and Grates.						
12	13.	14.	15.	16.	17.	18.	19.	20.	21.	22.	23.	
£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	
1,954	1,605	11,384	1,552	65	265	168	37	132	194	-	-	PROVINCE OF LEINSTER. CARLOW. Carlow.
719	559	3,743	1,297	43	745	-	172	102	237	3	-	DUBLIN. Hedderthory.
4,335	7,225	42,000	4,226	426	927	194	704	-	5,400	58	-	Dublin, North.
5,105	10,170	55,244	5,837	643	981	80	980	-	7,125	-	-	Dublin, South.
1,388	2,088	11,225	2,034	129	1,223	386	463	90	1,007	-	-	Bathdown.
949	1,479	8,024	1,288	50	286	-	39	322	104	-	-	KILDARE. Asby.
739	704	4,080	1,019	48	224	245	124	-	272	-	-	Celbridge.
1,417	990	8,059	1,640	89	510	190	75	8	203	-	-	Nass.
863	680	5,022	577	35	150	12	16	3	117	-	-	KILKENNY. Cullen.
782	400	3,080	505	29	232	-	50	-	48	300	-	Gelescomer.
1,544	1,516	9,432	1,143	64	543	5	100	-	169	-	-	Wickham.
683	337	3,648	611	34	215	3	-	27	111	-	-	Thomastown.
498	314	3,071	583	18	215	5	-	3	72	-	-	Urrisford.
630	657	3,717	1,142	37	227	10	110	-	81	-	-	KING'S CO. Kilderry.
701	680	3,433	1,203	39	304	3	35	27	150	-	-	Parsonstown.
890	733	7,199	816	32	290	16	-	185	113	-	-	Tullamore.
502	573	3,017	490	28	150	76	15	37	100	145	-	LANSFORD. Ballymahon.
711	720	3,002	964	63	426	9	112	56	152	-	-	Grassall.
765	800	5,185	599	43	508	32	22	16	115	-	-	Longford.
701	622	4,260	883	46	735	9	88	25	237	9	-	LOUTH. Ardee.
960	1,343	8,003	1,207	71	674	27	42	663	450	-	-	Drogheda.
910	775	6,543	1,500	101	315	-	-	62	170	-	-	Dundalk.
663	628	3,680	998	20	260	23	-	5	253	-	-	MEATH. Dunsborough.
894	100	6,365	983	34	147	133	100	307	261	450	-	Kells.
812	690	6,375	671	38	174	64	260	-	218	991	-	Navy.
614	612	3,605	761	39	110	2	159	40	127	-	-	Oldcastle.
708	1,004	7,600	560	43	190	29	89	40	207	410	-	Trim.
602	545	3,309	772	34	263	21	73	-	63	265	-	QUEEN'S CO. Abbeybrook.
509	561	2,261	281	15	204	8	147	-	60	98	-	Doughmore.
870	673	6,781	1,206	60	1,034	7	240	-	130	-	-	Mountmelick.
774	695	4,220	1,080	64	419	37	56	-	309	-	-	WESTMEATH. Athlone.
403	633	2,692	424	14	329	45	13	714	81	9	-	Delvin.
1,091	1,204	6,214	1,475	70	368	60	226	-	224	574	-	Mullingar.
1,043	1,060	7,735	1,233	77	107	11	60	-	249	-	-	WEXFORD. Enniscorthy.
708	629	3,526	935	42	528	16	12	337	100	-	-	Gorey.
860	1,380	8,201	1,202	76	160	36	60	33	180	-	-	New Ross.
862	710	6,934	1,161	88	107	-	-	-	170	-	-	Wexford.
733	923	4,741	889	38	188	66	44	49	127	-	-	WICKLOW. Ballinglass.
872	906	6,573	1,063	71	424	71	116	354	244	17	-	Bushroom.
634	403	3,783	622	20	93	44	120	1	112	-	-	Shillelagh.
49,079	54,273	310,668	48,134	2,055	13,620	2,289	5,234	5,778	20,037	2,052	-	1885. } Total, 1884. } LEINSTER.
43,047	54,721	234,167	40,565	2,059	13,725	2,795	4,813	1,890	20,710	1,450	-	
-	-	-	-	-	2,265	354	429	1,698	-	1,412	-	INCREASE.
507	448	14,500	729	4	-	-	-	-	768	-	-	DECREASE.

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## PART L.—RETURN showing the Receipts and Expenditure of Unions during the Year ended 29th September, 1885—continued.

Expenditure—(continued).				Amount of Expenditure included in Column 27 delivered out of Loans.		Amount paid to the Committee of Public Works under the Supply Act.	Valuation on 29th Sept., 1885.	Percentage on the Valuation.	
NAME OF COUNTY AND UNION.	Expenditure under the Public Works, Loans, and Expenditure.	Expenditure of Loans.	Total Expenditure for the Year, exclusive of the amount of the Public Works, Loans, and Expenditure.	Public Works.	Other Expenditure.			Of Public Works, exclusive of the amount of the Public Works, Loans, and Expenditure.	Of Public Works, exclusive of the amount of the Public Works, Loans, and Expenditure.
26.	27.	28.	29.	30.	31.	32.	33.	34.	35.
<b>PROVINCE OF LEINSTER.</b>	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	s. d.	s. d.
<b>CARLOW.</b>									
Carlow, . . . . .	135	—	13,716	—	—	22	100,142	1 6	1 10
<b>DUBLIN.</b>									
Balrothery, . . . . .	185	32	6,479	—	60	—	66,254	0 04	1 4
Dublin, North, . . . . .	331	1,961	97,341	—	—	—	226,747	2 2	2 10
Dublin, South, . . . . .	449	1,433	74,253	3,350	3,850	—	696,980	1 7	1 14
Rathdown, . . . . .	414	416	18,317	—	—	—	269,199	0 17	1 4
<b>KILDARE.</b>									
Athy, . . . . .	132	27	10,538	—	264	—	111,025	1 54	1 10
Galbridge, . . . . .	108	—	6,928	—	—	103	115,091	0 10	1 20
Nass, . . . . .	100	—	10,942	—	—	—	155,106	1 44	1 54
<b>KILKENNY.</b>									
Callan, . . . . .	84	146	7,100	—	—	558	75,003	1 52	1 11
Castlecomer, . . . . .	66	80	4,741	—	—	—	32,365	2 14	0 11
Kilkenney, . . . . .	141	—	11,777	—	—	—	100,093	1 10	2 3
Thomastown, . . . . .	85	—	4,764	—	—	—	68,143	1 11	1 54
Urringford, . . . . .	96	50	5,903	—	—	—	45,528	1 44	1 9
<b>KING'S CO.</b>									
Edenberry, . . . . .	108	63	5,501	—	—	—	65,432	0 42	1 12
Parsonstown, . . . . .	76	17	5,647	—	—	—	102,004	0 84	1 12
Tullamore, . . . . .	98	—	8,733	—	—	88	83,147	1 82	2 15
<b>LONGFORD.</b>									
Ballynashon, . . . . .	42	—	4,831	—	—	—	68,094	0 11	1 4
Granard, . . . . .	58	17	7,235	—	—	479	65,721	1 42	1 02
Longford, . . . . .	124	29	6,668	—	—	1,166	60,694	1 64	2 2
<b>LOUTH.</b>									
Ardee, . . . . .	94	113	7,225	—	591	—	94,400	1 04	1 5
Draghda, . . . . .	120	109	11,514	650	120	—	128,365	1 2	1 8
Dundalk, . . . . .	92	—	8,882	—	—	—	108,355	1 2	1 7
<b>MEATH.</b>									
Dunshaughlin, . . . . .	67	—	5,208	—	200	—	105,747	0 81	0 11
Kells, . . . . .	118	—	9,303	—	—	—	96,280	1 31	1 12
Narvin, . . . . .	80	—	8,000	—	—	—	98,102	1 31	1 8
Oldcastle, . . . . .	56	—	5,113	—	—	612	69,598	1 31	1 74
Trim, . . . . .	79	—	6,493	—	—	—	109,947	1 42	1 84
<b>QUEEN'S CO.</b>									
Abbeycork, . . . . .	62	30	5,632	—	—	—	67,482	1 2	1 8
Donaghmore, . . . . .	65	—	3,247	—	—	—	41,556	1 14	1 7
Mountmellick, . . . . .	133	80	9,996	—	400	—	102,601	1 34	1 10
<b>WESTMEATH.</b>									
Athlone, . . . . .	120	125	6,803	—	145	—	88,429	1 2	1 64
Delvin, . . . . .	82	—	4,495	—	714	—	52,963	1 04	1 5
Mullingar, . . . . .	145	40	12,479	—	—	—	139,246	1 2	1 7
<b>WICKFORD.</b>									
Ennisecorby, . . . . .	127	—	9,800	—	—	20	110,969	1 42	1 02
Gorey, . . . . .	86	—	5,479	—	—	—	80,481	0 10	1 44
New Ross, . . . . .	157	—	10,374	—	—	290	104,631	1 7	1 11
Wexford, . . . . .	170	—	8,744	—	—	—	106,207	1 24	1 7
<b>WICKLOW.</b>									
Ballinglass, . . . . .	105	4	6,237	—	—	—	75,811	1 34	1 84
Rathfriland, . . . . .	219	129	9,780	—	—	—	128,500	1 01	1 64
Wicklow, . . . . .	94	—	4,120	—	—	—	50,542	1 34	1 72
<b>Total, { 1885, . . . . .</b>	<b>5,213</b>	<b>4,964</b>	<b>430,736</b>	<b>4,000</b>	<b>6,002</b>	<b>3,204</b>	<b>4,751,819</b>	<b>1 4</b>	<b>1 08</b>
<b>LEINSTER, { 1884, . . . . .</b>	<b>4,055</b>	<b>0,325</b>	<b>440,242</b>	<b>7,200</b>	<b>1,035</b>	<b>6,705</b>	<b>4,745,529</b>	<b>1 44</b>	<b>1 08</b>
<b>Increase, . . . . .</b>	<b>1,158</b>	<b>—</b>	<b>9,494</b>	<b>—</b>	<b>5,997</b>	<b>—</b>	<b>6,588</b>	<b>—</b>	<b>—</b>
<b>Decrease, . . . . .</b>	<b>—</b>	<b>1,001</b>	<b>—</b>	<b>3,201</b>	<b>—</b>	<b>3,501</b>	<b>—</b>	<b>0 04</b>	<b>—</b>

PART L.—RETURN showing the Receipts and Expenditure of Unions during the Year ended 29th September, 1885—continued.

NAME OF COUNTY AND UNION.	Receipts.					Expenditure—(continued).				
	Amount of Poor Rate Lodged.	Parliamentary Grant.	Other Receipts, including repayment of Subsidy by way of Loans, Grants, &c.	Amount of Loans.	Total Receipts during the Year, exclusive of Poor Rate.	Poor Rate Lodged.	To Public- works.	Out- Relief.	Maintenance of Roads, &c., by Arrears, and not by Subsidy in Taxes Lodged.	Em- igration Ex- pense.
1.	2.	3.	4.	5.	6.	7.	8.	9.	10.	11.
<b>PROVINCE OF CONNAUGHT.</b>	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
GALWAY.										
Ballinasloe, . . .	5,864	618	58	500	5,462	779	2,073	549	15	2
Clifden, . . .	3,148	583	35	—	3,745	254	1,945	320	54	—
Galway, . . .	7,975	885	540	458	9,861	1,593	3,321	609	162	—
Glenties, . . .	4,268	255	19	—	4,552	1,225	1,117	440	—	0
Loft, . . .	3,281	248	25	—	3,554	159	1,655	425	49	0
Longford, . . .	5,883	285	33	700	7,901	47	1,258	593	69	12
Monaghan, . . .	5,931	358	55	—	6,344	1,845	1,102	179	15	23
Oughterard, . . .	2,334	250	16	—	2,600	884	655	171	76	—
Parlanna, . . .	2,735	277	32	450	3,515	—	1,330	317	25	—
Tea, . . .	7,240	393	50	—	7,683	2,250	2,071	1,822	77	4
LEITRIM.										
Car-on-Shannon, . . .	4,193	445	53	35	4,786	1,657	1,505	366	20	66
Monaghan, . . .	4,538	441	19	—	4,998	339	1,321	165	7	—
Mohill, . . .	3,877	370	20	—	4,267	2,015	1,383	677	22	9
MAYO.										
Ballina, . . .	2,791	222	232	—	3,245	2,207	1,450	425	11	3
Ballinrobe, . . .	5,905	555	125	—	6,585	2,552	1,734	518	75	12
Belmullet, . . .	1,243	293	55	—	1,591	985	727	164	—	—
Castlebar, . . .	5,099	402	45	—	5,546	3,160	739	244	85	—
Clonsilla, . . .	3,353	406	1	—	3,760	2,026	1,178	494	52	63
Clonsilla, . . .	3,664	234	91	—	4,089	635	581	303	—	—
Knilly, . . .	1,546	282	32	—	1,860	541	684	112	1	—
Nowport, . . .	5,217	677	72	800	6,766	4,958	1,690	791	115	19
Swatford, . . .	2,947	282	57	—	3,286	1,595	879	91	51	—
WESTPORT.										
BOSCOMEN.										
Boyle, . . .	5,459	759	60	—	6,278	1,276	1,515	1,531	66	77
Castlerea, . . .	5,915	413	7	—	6,335	2,769	1,694	801	38	44
Boscomen, . . .	6,979	484	76	—	7,539	779	2,564	999	31	39
Strakestown, . . .	4,438	439	78	—	4,955	1,568	1,002	1,197	51	64
SLEIGO.										
Dunmore West, . . .	2,448	357	23	—	2,828	1,544	699	383	—	12
Sleigo, . . .	6,189	485	177	1,284	8,135	1,665	2,382	1,173	11	8
Tellico, . . .	3,657	387	54	—	4,118	1,967	1,322	1,057	328	—
<b>Total, 1885.</b>	108,148	13,447	5,231	2,769	129,595	43,154	43,908	17,783	2,213	467
<b>CONNAUGHT, 1884.</b>	127,935	14,599	19,321	2,990	165,845	66,025	48,704	18,079	1,805	9,171
<b>INCREASE,</b>	—	—	—	779	—	—	—	—	8	—
<b>DECREASE,</b>	6,910	722	17,095	—	23,927	2,863	3,796	230	—	8,704
<b>SUMMARY OF PROVINCES.</b>										
ULSTER, . . .	224,029	35,309	4,129	5,064	269,531	6,363	73,728	23,175	2,455	41
MUNSTER, . . .	376,064	59,818	5,226	34,924	476,032	11,395	142,086	73,119	4,807	263
LEINSTER, . . .	381,982	22,262	18,810	11,483	434,537	4,331	148,632	89,520	5,167	506
CONNAUGHT, . . .	120,149	13,447	5,231	2,769	141,606	43,154	43,908	17,783	2,213	467
<b>Total, 1885.</b>	1,102,234	127,836	23,406	19,246	1,362,722	22,243	264,354	143,597	14,645	1,277
<b>INCREASE, 1884.</b>	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
<b>DECREASE,</b>	55,534	1,018	23,535	—	80,087	17,693	35,873	—	—	13,544

\* This amount includes a sum of £12,518 deferred out of Grants under the Emigration Clause of the Arrears of Rent and Turnways Act.

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## PART I.—RETURN showing the Receipts and Expenditure

Name of County and Union.	Expenditure.										
	Salaries and Gratuities of Officers.	All other Poor Relief Expendi- ture.	Total Poor Relief Expendi- ture.	Expenses under Medical Charities and Vaccina- tion Acts.	Expenses under the Acts for Registra- tion of Births, Deaths, and Mar- riages.	Expenses under the Public Health Act.		Expenses under the Superan- tation Act.	Expenses under the Lunacy Act.	Expenses under the Coun- ty School Boards (Act 1864) Act.	Pay- ments under National School Teachers Act.
						For Sanitary purposes.	For Bread Grants.				
12.	13.	14.	15.	16.	17.	18.	19.	20.	21.	22.	23.
<b>PROVINCE OF CONNAUGHT.</b>											
<b>GALWAY.</b>	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Ballinasloe, . . . . .	865	1,171	4,946	1,004	42	260	18	125	-	45	-
Clifden, . . . . .	806	295	2,226	326	27	220	75	-	-	69	-
Galway, . . . . .	1,168	1,340	6,150	1,285	86	568	117	81	-	140	-
Glenties, . . . . .	481	446	2,451	620	45	182	11	34	-	68	-
Geel, . . . . .	497	519	2,322	321	24	94	8	40	5	45	-
Loughrea, . . . . .	601	1,022	3,077	606	28	357	22	40	1	104	-
Mountbellew, . . . . .	404	261	2,144	460	64	112	12	-	-	62	-
Oughterard, . . . . .	413	370	1,686	329	30	106	886	82	-	56	-
Portlanna, . . . . .	472	628	2,588	381	27	264	10	-	-	33	-
Tam, . . . . .	820	1,171	5,945	1,136	65	222	95	112	-	193	-
<b>LEITRIM.</b>											
Cor-on-Shannon, . . . . .	712	729	3,020	494	60	191	-	57	-	94	-
Manorhamilton, . . . . .	596	573	2,372	774	87	162	2	107	12	81	-
Mohill, . . . . .	701	807	3,779	741	45	146	49	128	-	85	-
<b>MAYO.</b>											
Ballina, . . . . .	671	861	3,661	700	28	295	32	94	-	196	-
Ballinrobe, . . . . .	802	1,081	4,208	678	83	231	92	19	-	122	-
Belmullet, . . . . .	493	282	1,706	312	31	62	18	141	-	66	-
Castlebar, . . . . .	502	609	2,312	745	55	179	-	22	-	120	-
Chesmore, . . . . .	618	527	2,304	584	70	292	91	22	-	61	-
Glenties, . . . . .	288	465	1,724	656	18	146	-	32	-	94	-
Newport, . . . . .	414	465	1,684	678	20	77	-	197	-	41	-
Swineford, . . . . .	752	1,336	5,048	1,746	110	277	42	152	-	113	-
Westport, . . . . .	624	600	2,187	624	74	287	91	35	-	20	-
<b>ROSCOMMON.</b>											
Boyle, . . . . .	621	749	4,885	1,345	80	180	63	41	-	189	-
Castlerea, . . . . .	536	715	2,888	939	65	106	10	188	-	182	-
Roscommon, . . . . .	741	860	3,265	598	48	252	5	182	-	93	-
Strickstown, . . . . .	267	724	4,155	652	26	245	7	20	2	90	-
<b>SLEGO.</b>											
Brennabor West, . . . . .	443	320	1,864	330	25	190	9	6	-	84	-
Sligo, . . . . .	1,095	1,104	4,698	3,573	88	249	17	162	-	192	-
Tobelcurry, . . . . .	264	400	5,263	947	61	140	12	-	-	136	-
<b>Total, 1885,</b>	18,314	20,762	100,547	24,634	1,455	5,620	1,389	2,647	20	2,813	-
<b>Connaught, 1884,</b>	18,489	19,762	112,381	27,307	1,324	5,962	1,192	2,073	21	2,670	-
<b>Increase,</b>	-	1,099	-	2,637	-	-	97	-	-	145	-
<b>Decrease,</b>	145	-	11,834	-	69	241	-	28	1	-	-

## SUMMARY OF

ULSTER, . . . . .	61,802	29,617	168,612	61,778	3,706	18,807	919	2,012	40	5,206	11,258
MUNSTER, . . . . .	44,663	41,258	637,069	46,221	2,809	18,261	1,416	8,082	25,238	6,647	1,620
LEINSTER, . . . . .	42,070	84,573	319,588	46,166	3,602	15,420	2,329	5,194	2,578	20,037	2,882
CONNAUGHT, . . . . .	18,314	20,762	100,547	24,424	1,488	5,520	1,389	2,617	20	2,813	-
<b>TOTAL, 1885,</b>	136,849	145,200	667,806	190,687	11,605	58,008	3,664	14,225	28,660	35,488	15,880
<b>IRELAND, 1884,</b>	138,825	184,542	943,030	190,963	10,804	53,544	4,641	13,941	2,992	34,933	12,300
<b>Increase,</b>	-	-	-	2,304	121	-	-	380	24,668	427	2,600
<b>Decrease,</b>	1,350	8,734	48,024	-	-	2,504	620	-	-	-	-

of Unions during the Year ended 29th September, 1885—continued.

Expenditure.				Amount of Expenditure included in Column 20 charged out of Loans.		Amount paid by County or Works and Road Supply Act.	Valuation on 29th Sept., 1885.	Percentage on the Valuation.		NAME OF COUNTY AND UNION.
Expenditure under the Public-works, Roads, and Bridges Acts.	Expenditure of Loans.	Total Expenditure during the Year, exclusive of the amount of the Public-works, Roads, and Bridges Acts.		For Road.	Other Expenditure.			Of Expenditure for Public-works, Roads, and Bridges Acts, exclusive of the amount of the Public-works, Roads, and Bridges Acts.	Of Total Expenditure, exclusive of the amount of the Public-works, Roads, and Bridges Acts.	
26.	27.	28.	29.	30.	31.	32.	33.	34.	35.	36.
£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	s. d.	s. d.	
145	53	4,636	-	100	691	70,188	1 35	1 3		PROVINCE OF CONNAUGHT.
50	29	2,608	-	-	493	17,881	2 34	4 6		Ballinasloe.
80	517	4,974	278	-	988	68,903	1 10	2 7		Clifden.
25	38	2,353	-	40	2,602	21,781	1 6	2 2		Galway.
73	-	4,214	-	-	226	45,045	1 7	1 11		Glennamaddy.
73	311	4,532	350	30	90	74,539	1 0	1 4		Gort.
73	-	2,008	-	-	1,785	40,433	2 2	1 5		Loughrea.
33	-	2,966	-	-	1,085	15,634	2 2	1 1		Mountbellew.
28	30	3,216	203	-	284	28,442	1 5	1 7		Oughterard.
104	74	8,064	-	-	2,892	76,942	1 6	2 14		Portlanna.
										Tam.
										LEITRIM.
108	52	6,184	-	35	1,000	48,284	1 7	2 14		Car.-on-Shannon.
120	37	4,376	-	-	292	42,664	1 34	1 11		Magheramuffin.
84	17	3,074	-	-	566	28,516	1 11	2 6		Mohill.
										MAYO.
30	146	4,850	-	-	2,676	40,345	1 4	1 11		Ballina.
101	77	5,470	-	-	2,612	60,278	1 5	1 10		Ballinrobe.
33	120	2,781	-	-	1,084	20,884	2 3	4 0		Belmullet.
88	-	3,712	-	-	2,250	48,662	1 1	1 7		Castlebar.
66	68	4,163	-	-	1,504	43,495	1 4	1 11		Claremorris.
-	-	2,222	-	-	451	20,409	1 8	2 3		Killala.
37	-	2,722	-	-	-	15,151	2 6	4 3		Newport.
144	561	7,909	221	649	4,606	40,971	2 4	3 6		Swinsford.
69	40	3,487	-	-	1,672	21,139	1 4	2 2		Westport.
										ROSCOMMON.
120	60	6,431	-	-	1,879	74,116	1 2	1 3		Boyle.
86	184	8,559	-	-	2,632	72,265	1 0	1 6		Castlerea.
76	10	6,431	-	48	732	64,498	1 7	1 11		Roscommon.
94	687	3,852	-	-	1,768	50,817	1 7	2 4		Strokestown.
										SLEIGO.
67	61	2,725	-	-	1,715	56,683	1 0	1 6		Dromore West.
86	108	39,074	-	1,473	1,882	78,920	1 1	1 8		Sligo.
45	26	4,708	-	-	673	40,745	1 7	2 2		Tobacarry.
2,051	2,212	143,491	1,542	2,269	46,755	1,364,897	1 5	2 0		1884, } Total.
1,599	2,787	153,888	118	1,093	40,852	1,366,746	1 6	2 1		1884, } CONNAUGHT.
201	-	-	1,557	1,376	-	-	-	-		Increase.
-	684	10,167	-	-	284	109	0 0	0 0		Decrease.

## PROVINCES.

5,616	9,369	256,730	12	4,506	6,166	4,327,237	0 9	1 2	ULSTER.
4,834	7,046	427,888	-	27,399	14,672	3,423,676	1 2	2 4	MUNSTER.
5,313	4,996	489,736	4,009	6,483	3,394	4,731,899	1 4	1 3	LEINSTER.
2,662	2,122	142,901	1,243	2,849	40,735	1,366,897	1 5	2 0	CONNAUGHT.
17,414	24,502	1,250,498	6,260	41,270	64,810	12,873,269	1 3	1 9	1884, } TOTAL.
14,337	26,339	1,238,728	8,169	16,641	78,260	12,889,141	1 4	1 2	1884, } IRELAND.
3,077	-	-	-	25,620	-	10,167	-	-	Increase.
-	1,827	29,270	2,707	-	14,420	-	0 0	0 0	Decrease.

No. 1. PART 2.—RETURN of the Number of Persons who received Poor Relief during the Year ended 29th September, 1885, together with the Expenditure for Provisions, Necessaries, and Clothing of Workhouse Inmates during the Year, and the average Weekly Cost per head in the Workhouse.

NAMES OF COUNTIES AND UNIONS.	Number of Persons who received Relief under the Poor Relief Acts during the Year.			Total.	Collocted Number of Days for all Persons Relieved in the Workhouse during the Year.	Average Number of Days of Relief to each Person in Workhouse.	Average Daily Number of Persons in Workhouse.	Cost of Provisions, Necessaries, and Clothing.			Average Weekly Cost per head.		
	In Workhouse.	Out-door.	In Rural and District Asylums.					£	s.	d.	Provisions and Necessaries.	Clothing.	Total.
PROVINCE OF ULSTER.													
ASTHUR.													
Antrim, . . . . .	1,218	304	-	1,522	70,312	58	163	1,170	251	1,427	2 4	0 6	2 10
Ballycastle, . . . . .	545	8	-	553	27,708	69	104	650	137	787	2 5	0 6	2 31
Ballymena, . . . . .	2,087	1,131	6	3,224	136,067	65	573	1,700	460	2,160	1 10 1	0 5 1	2 4
Ballymoney, . . . . .	1,057	421	1	2,029	48,813	30	134	635	174	809	1 9 5	0 6	2 35
Bellagh, . . . . .	20,379	560	31	20,970	1,086,505	51	2,540	18,208	3,405	21,703	2 0 5	0 5 1	2 11 1
Larne, . . . . .	1,401	1,181	3	2,085	79,008	53	217	1,463	390	1,773	2 7	0 7	3 2
Lisburn, . . . . .	2,375	336	5	2,016	65,488	29	179	1,039	320	1,305	2 2 1	0 5 1	2 11
ARRAIGH.													
Armagh, . . . . .	607	88	-	695	96,431	103	256	1,897	285	2,182	2 10 1	0 5	3 3 1
Lurgan, . . . . .	3,159	278	4	3,441	117,937	37	323	2,526	803	3,329	3 0	0 4 1	3 4 1
CAVAN.													
Bailieborough, . . . . .	582	371	4	957	47,143	81	129	924	149	1,073	2 6	0 5 1	3 2 1
Barnaby, . . . . .	537	433	-	970	26,405	54	79	571	61	632	2 9 1	0 3 1	3 0 1
Cavan, . . . . .	3,941	682	7	3,730	111,249	37	303	1,830	439	2,269	2 3 1	0 6 1	3 10
Co. Cavan, . . . . .	1,328	128	5	1,361	42,513	35	110	661	103	764	2 2	0 4	2 6
DOUGAL.													
Ballyshannon, . . . . .	710	200	-	1,000	50,197	67	138	901	179	1,080	2 8 1	0 6	3 2 1
Dougal, . . . . .	445	92	1	538	27,992	85	104	676	101	777	2 1 1	0 4 1	3 0
Dunfermly, . . . . .	109	3	-	112	8,908	34	24	228	13	241	3 7	0 2	3 9
Glenties, . . . . .	443	299	-	742	34,367	77	94	643	61	704	2 7 1	0 4	2 11 1
Inishowen, . . . . .	544	470	-	1,014	50,191	92	136	664	145	809	1 11 1	0 4 1	2 4
Letterkenny, . . . . .	401	1	-	405	36,013	56	107	739	113	852	2 7 1	0 4 1	3 0 1



	320	13	-	343	29,557	91	82	470	67	557	2	23	0	5	0	2	21
	308	7	2	317	37,021	88	74	390	70	430	1	103	0	42	0	2	21
Milford, . . . . .																	
Stranraer, . . . . .																	
Down, . . . . .																	
Banbridge, . . . . .	2,425	901	5	3,331	74,547	31	204	1,363	68	1,451	2	61	0	2	2	61	
Dromedary, . . . . .	700	194	2	894	70,859	100	208	1,296	271	1,537	2	61	0	0	2	101	
Kilkeel, . . . . .	528	46	3	577	32,436	62	90	440	64	504	1	103	0	81	2	111	
Navy, . . . . .	3,178	1,163	11	4,350	118,719	37	325	1,897	632	2,520	2	22	0	0	2	111	
Newtownards, . . . . .	2,054	483	4	2,541	117,201	57	331	1,945	209	2,154	2	4	0	3	2	7	
FERRISBOROUGH, . . . . .																	
Enniskillen, . . . . .	1,258	31	1	1,290	92,312	74	254	1,407	240	1,707	2	21	0	41	2	7	
Ennistown, . . . . .	540	14	-	554	38,040	72	106	730	79	803	2	71	0	31	2	11	
Larne, . . . . .	880	246	-	1,080	38,809	45	107	869	108	977	2	1	0	42	3	61	
LONDONDERRY, . . . . .																	
Coleraine, . . . . .	1,627	437	2	1,466	56,847	55	155	737	228	965	1	91	0	0	2	41	
Londonderry, . . . . .	1,353	1	-	1,354	50,133	57	137	923	205	828	1	0	0	0	2	41	
Magherafelt, . . . . .	2,057	19	-	2,100	104,083	50	287	1,204	468	1,702	1	81	0	73	2	41	
Magherafelt, . . . . .	1,190	108	3	1,401	68,620	58	188	1,102	286	1,478	2	51	0	7	3	01	
MOSGALL, . . . . .																	
Castlemore, . . . . .	1,623	137	6	1,750	51,260	32	141	1,127	107	1,204	3	3	0	31	3	61	
Castlemore, . . . . .	1,413	567	5	1,955	67,004	47	184	1,186	177	1,363	2	51	0	41	2	101	
Clones, . . . . .	1,085	5	-	1,093	31,340	31	91	581	83	604	0	51	0	4	2	01	
Monaghan, . . . . .	650	-	3	652	60,888	94	167	1,137	138	1,266	2	73	0	31	2	11	
TYNAGH, . . . . .																	
Castlegreg, . . . . .	506	1	2	509	19,018	39	54	288	55	313	1	10	0	41	2	101	
Glogher, . . . . .	783	240	3	1,016	39,719	52	109	731	184	915	2	7	0	71	3	21	
Cookstown, . . . . .	842	304	6	1,052	47,644	57	130	602	113	605	2	0	0	4	2	41	
Dungannon, . . . . .	1,855	414	2	2,269	60,678	35	181	663	265	1,233	2	0	0	0	2	71	
Geelin, . . . . .	733	30	2	771	15,155	21	41	968	52	318	2	51	0	51	2	11	
Omagh, . . . . .	1,401	264	4	1,665	77,470	70	213	1,231	240	1,474	2	21	0	51	2	0	
Stranraer, . . . . .	2,119	271	4	2,393	103,065	45	282	1,683	308	2,091	2	3	0	6	2	0	
Total Ulster, 1883, . . . . .	79,252	12,703	145	85,230	3,043,907	50	983	61,867	11,890	73,732	2	41	0	51	2	10	
Do. do. 1884, . . . . .	68,077	11,710	159	79,946	3,074,054	54	10,052	66,941	12,544	79,485	2	61	0	51	3	01	
Increase, . . . . .	4,875	993	-	5,284	35,027	-	4	3,926	-	5,247	-	-	0	2	0	01	
Decrease, . . . . .	-	-	14	-	-	-	60	3,970	-	5,247	-	-	0	2	0	01	

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NAMES OF COUNTIES AND UNIONS.	Number of Persons who received Relief under the Poor Relief Acts during the Year.				Collective Number of Days for all Persons Relieved in the Workhouse during the Year.	Average Number of Days of Relief to each Pauper in the Workhouse.	Average Daily Number of Paupers in the Workhouse.			Cost of Provisions, Necessaries, and Clothing.			Average Weekly Cost per head.		
	In Workhouse.	Out-door.	In Blind and Deaf and Dumb Asylums.	Total.			Provisions and Necessaries.	Clothing.	Total.	Provisions and Necessaries.	Clothing.	Total.			
PROVINCE OF MUNSTER.															
County.															
Ballyvaughan, . . . . .	330	62	1	393	41,437	129	807	153	900	2 8½	0 7½	3 4½	2 8½	0 7½	3 4½
Corroon, . . . . .	1,005	337	1	1,343	41,237	41	843	105	948	2 10½	0 4½	2 15	2 10½	0 4½	2 15
Ennis, . . . . .	2,365	650	3	3,018	171,299	75	2,917	621	3,538	3 4½	0 8½	4 3	3 4½	0 8½	4 3
Ennistymon, . . . . .	1,058	338	4	1,400	94,571	90	2,953	494	3,447	3 4½	0 8½	4 3	3 4½	0 8½	4 3
Killadysart, . . . . .	433	431	—	864	51,435	118	1,413	103	1,516	2 1	0 5½	2 6½	2 1	0 5½	2 6½
Kilrush, . . . . .	1,050	1,922	2	2,974	113,019	108	2,163	353	2,515	2 8½	0 5½	3 4	2 8½	0 5½	3 4
Scarriff, . . . . .	821	208	9	1,138	60,033	61	1,216	121	1,337	3 0	0 4	3 4	3 0	0 4	3 4
Tulla, . . . . .	1,554	841	1	2,396	72,592	47	1,854	170	2,024	3 2½	0 4	3 6½	3 2½	0 4	3 6½
County.															
Bandeen, . . . . .	1,309	541	4	1,854	51,476	39	983	187	1,170	2 8½	0 6	3 4½	2 8½	0 6	3 4½
Bantry, . . . . .	645	856	1	1,502	36,918	57	101	653	807	2 5½	0 7	3 2½	2 5½	0 7	3 2½
Castletown, . . . . .	372	190	—	562	40,935	134	197	130	902	2 5½	0 4½	3 0	2 5½	0 4½	3 0
Clonakilly, . . . . .	804	370	6	1,180	70,724	53	207	237	1,831	2 7	0 5½	3 2½	2 7	0 5½	3 2½
Cork, . . . . .	12,374	9,083	85	20,542	942,737	76	2,253	2,857	5,110	2 4½	0 6	3 0½	2 4½	0 6	3 0½
Dummanway, . . . . .	697	373	3	1,073	43,006	72	137	941	208	2 4½	0 7	3 1½	2 4½	0 7	3 1½
Fermoy, . . . . .	1,025	883	3	1,911	70,856	49	318	218	1,344	2 4½	0 7	3 1½	2 4½	0 7	3 1½
Kanturk, . . . . .	1,540	1,857	1,855	3,392	144,277	93	2,896	991	3,887	3 4½	0 7	4 1½	3 4½	0 7	4 1½
Kinsale, . . . . .	1,502	51	3	1,556	48,068	38	1,007	126	1,133	2 0	0 7	2 7	2 0	0 7	2 7
Macroom, . . . . .	3,534	790	5	4,329	107,190	71	194	133	1,033	2 7½	0 4½	3 2	2 7½	0 4½	3 2
Malinbeg, . . . . .	3,248	1,540	3	4,793	131,475	88	2,688	480	3,168	2 8½	0 8	3 6½	2 8½	0 8	3 6½
Midleton, . . . . .	3,412	695	4	4,108	116,365	38	324	364	2,707	2 0½	0 7	2 7½	2 0½	0 7	2 7½
Millstreet, . . . . .	2,412	381	1	2,793	86,508	36	1,571	362	1,933	2 7½	0 7	3 4½	2 7½	0 7	3 4½
Mitchelestown, . . . . .	2,124	381	2	2,507	76,120	36	1,405	273	1,678	2 7½	0 7	3 4½	2 7½	0 7	3 4½
Skibbereen, . . . . .	1,206	825	5	2,036	104,096	70	2,005	430	2,435	2 9	0 7	3 6	2 9	0 7	3 6



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The following table contains the results of the inquiry into the state of the Poor Law in the County of Wick, during the year 1880, as compared with the results of the inquiry in the year 1879.

NAMES OF COUNTIES AND UNIONS.	Number of Persons who received Relief under the Poor Relief Acts during the year.				Collective Number of Days of Relief received in the Workhouse during the Year.	Average Number of Days of Relief to each Pauper in Workhouse.	Cost of Provisions, Necessaries, and Clothing.			Average Weekly Cost per head.		
	In Workhouse.	Out-door.	In Hired and Deaf and Dumb Asylums.	Total.			Provisions and Necessaries.	Clothing.	Total.	Provisions and Necessaries.	Clothing.	Total.
<b>PROVINCE OF LEINSTER.</b>												
<b>CARLOW.</b>							£	£	£	s.	d.	s. d.
Carlow, . . .	4,352	1,008	4	5,364	156,981	37	4,236	741	4,977	9	0	7½ 4 ½
<b>DUBLIN.</b>												
Balrothery, . .	869	650	7	1,526	42,120	47	970	175	1,145	3	9½	0 7 3 0½
Dublin, North, .	10,901	2,395	40	13,336	555,025	87	29,543	3,181	30,724	3	5½	3 11½ 3 11½
Dublin, South, .	9,554	2,550	67	12,171	1,083,555	118	25,740	3,472	29,212	3	4	0 5½ 3 9½
Rathdown, . .	7,482	1,190	17	8,689	246,857	33	6,908	1,037	7,945	3	0	0 7 4 1
<b>KINGS.</b>												
Abby, . . .	4,140	1,055	3	5,204	113,094	27	3,081	538	3,619	3	0	0 8 4 5
Cellan, . . .	735	612	—	1,347	48,923	67	1,431	381	1,812	4	1	0 0½ 4 10½
Nass, . . .	6,177	1,437	2	7,616	117,402	19	2,079	401	2,480	3	9½	0 5½ 3 6
<b>KINGS.</b>												
Callan, . . .	1,964	1,117	4	3,085	99,708	51	2,945	475	3,420	3	1½	0 8 3 6½
Castlemore, . .	3,590	533	1	4,124	52,021	15	1,163	350	1,513	3	1	0 8 3 9
Kilcomry, . . .	4,408	1,004	—	5,412	178,853	40	3,802	806	4,608	2	11½	0 8½ 3 8
Thomastown, . .	2,430	677	1	3,108	64,982	26	1,160	306	1,466	2	6½	0 10½ 3 4½
Uxlingford, . .	1,077	427	2	1,506	65,940	61	1,477	275	1,752	3	1½	0 7 3 8½
<b>KING'S CO.</b>												
Edenderry, . .	2,044	620	3	2,667	63,238	21	1,384	320	1,704	2	11½	0 6½ 3 0½
Parsonstown, .	834	201	2	1,037	74,014	60	1,591	307	1,898	2	11½	0 8½ 3 7½
Tullamore, . .	3,132	922	1	4,055	180,352	42	3,007	372	3,379	3	3½	0 8½ 3 7



No. 1. **PART 2.**—Returns of the Number of Persons who received Poor Relief during the Year ended 29th September, 1885, together with the Expenditure for Provisions, Necessaries, and Clothing of Workhouse Inmates during the Year, &c.—continued.

NAME OF CONVENTS AND UNIONS.	Number of Persons who received Relief under the Poor Relief Acts during the year.				Collective Number of Days for all Paupers Relieved in the Workhouse during the Year.	Average Number of Days of Relief to each Pauper in Work- house.	Cost of Provisions, Necessaries, and Clothing.			Average Weekly Cost per head.				
	In Workhouse.	Out-door.	In Blind and Deaf and Dumb Asylums.	Totals.			£	£	£	s.	d.	s.	d.	Totals.
PROVINCE OF CONNAUGHT.														
GALWAY.														
Ballinacorney, . . . . .	1,569	503	1	2,080	108,734	55	2,170	408	2,578	3 11 1	0 0 1	3 11 2		
Cedden, . . . . .	402	1,024	0	1,401	53,005	117	900	130	1,045	3 4 1	0 4 1	3 4 2		
Galway, . . . . .	1,655	671	7	2,333	130,005	81	3,027	244	3,271	3 1 0	0 3 0	3 1 3		
Glenties, . . . . .	705	317	—	1,022	50,355	71	1,002	115	1,117	2 0 0	0 0 0	2 0 0		
Gort, . . . . .	1,900	831	3	2,734	70,455	30	1,440	230	1,670	2 10 1	0 5 1	2 15 2		
Loughrea, . . . . .	1,006	644	5	1,655	47,911	28	1,006	302	1,308	3 1 0	0 7 0	3 8 0		
Mount Bellew, . . . . .	505	135	9	722	49,327	71	936	170	1,106	3 0 1	0 7 0	3 7 1		
Oughlins, . . . . .	211	316	8	534	27,771	133	643	22	665	3 3 0	0 1 1	3 4 1		
Petersons, . . . . .	851	300	1	1,151	46,145	54	958	144	1,102	3 0 0	0 5 1	3 5 1		
Tulla, . . . . .	1,501	019	5	2,425	75,312	30	1,796	275	2,071	3 4 0	0 6 0	3 10 0		
LERRAN.														
Carraig-on-Shannon	1,188	508	2	1,759	68,768	58	1,352	251	1,603	2 0 1	0 6 1	2 6 2		
Manochamillies, . . . . .	853	107	2	961	50,215	66	1,135	386	1,521	2 10 0	0 11 1	2 21 1		
Mohall, . . . . .	847	574	1	1,422	63,724	78	1,308	275	1,583	2 0 1	0 7 0	2 7 1		
MAYO.														
Ballins, . . . . .	908	009	3	1,604	65,357	08	1,320	104	1,424	2 7 1	0 5 0	2 12 1		
Ballinrobe, . . . . .	1,096	214	0	1,310	69,763	08	1,464	270	1,734	2 11 0	0 6 1	2 17 1		
Belmullet, . . . . .	223	320	—	543	25,556	134	611	116	727	2 10 1	0 0 1	2 11 2		
Castledub, . . . . .	550	394	7	950	35,481	63	601	148	749	2 4 0	0 7 0	2 11 0		
Clasamorra, . . . . .	627	546	4	1,177	61,133	88	1,071	107	1,178	2 6 1	0 3 1	2 9 2		
Killala, . . . . .	304	800	1	1,104	22,466	110	457	94	551	3 0 0	0 7 0	3 7 0		
Newport, . . . . .	319	169	—	487	30,022	90	554	180	734	2 6 1	0 7 1	2 13 2		
Swinsford, . . . . .	1,247	1,408	6	2,661	88,347	69	1,614	306	1,920	3 7 0	0 6 0	3 13 0		
Westport, . . . . .	693	25	3	710	45,557	60	700	170	870	3 1 1	0 6 0	3 7 1		

SUMMARY OF PROVINCES.													
ROSCOMMON.	Boyle, .	830	757	6	1,553	74,718	90	305	1,590	115	1,615	2 0 1/2	2 0 1/2
Castlerea, .	607	703	2	2	1,462	70,295	110	217	1,409	205	1,674	0 3 1/2	0 3 1/2
Roscommon, .	1,564	400	8	8	1,957	100,505	65	276	2,317	277	2,594	0 4 1/2	0 4 1/2
Srocketstown, .	848	780	3	3	1,037	62,432	74	171	1,402	150	1,552	0 3 1/2	0 3 1/2
Sligo.													
Dromore West, .	255	430	-	-	675	20,379	115	81	517	92	609	0 5 1/2	0 5 1/2
Sligo, .	1,202	941	2	2	2,205	106,751	85	293	2,055	327	2,382	0 5 1/2	0 5 1/2
Tolercerry, .	709	1,057	8	8	1,964	50,431	68	133	1,017	105	1,122	0 5 1/2	0 5 1/2
Total, {1885, Connasught, {1884,	26,492 24,371	15,783 10,690	97 56	97	42,372 41,921	1,790,776 1,840,416	68 76	4,906 5,928	36,273 40,063	5,635 5,661	41,908 45,704	0 0 1/2 0 0 1/2	0 0 1/2 0 0 1/2
Increase, .	2,241	-	7	7	1,351	-	-	122	3,770	-	3,766	0 2 1/2	0 2 1/2
Decrease, .	-	877	-	-	-	49,640	8	-	-	26-	-	-	-
ULSTER.													
Ulster, .	72,382	12,708	145	145	85,390	3,043,907	50	9,983	61,892	11,860	73,722	0 5 1/2	0 5 1/2
Munster, .	98,978	53,085	304	304	152,267	6,033,438	61	16,539	120,035	22,600	142,620	0 0 1/2	0 0 1/2
Leinster, .	122,098	30,266	254	254	102,380	5,497,664	45	15,032	127,807	20,765	148,532	0 0 1/2	0 0 1/2
Connaught, .	26,492	15,783	97	97	42,372	1,790,776	68	4,906	36,273	5,635	41,908	0 0 1/2	0 0 1/2
Total, {1885, Ireland, {1884,	320,550 290,003	150,939 110,223	800 700	800	442,020 410,882	10,065,785 17,417,812	58 58	40,481 47,590	346,028 390,907	60,830 92,794	400,888 443,761	0 0 1/2 0 0 1/2	0 0 1/2 0 0 1/2
Increase, .	20,287	4,716	4	4	25,907	-	-	1,099	24,939	1,984	26,573	0 2 1/2	0 2 1/2
Decrease, .	-	-	-	-	-	422,087	5	-	-	-	-	-	-

No. 2.—CLASSIFICATION OF PERSONS RELIEVED IN UNION WORKHOUSES IN IRELAND, during each of the Half Years ended 25th March and 29th September, 1885, respectively.

Classes of Persons Relieved in Workhouses.			No. in the Half-year ended 25th March, 1885.	No. in the Half-year ended 29th September, 1885.	
ABLE-BODIED AND THEIR CHILDREN.					
1	Adults,	Married Couples, . . . . . { Males, . . . . .	3,822	3,143	
2			Females, . . . . .	3,822	3,143
3		Other Males, . . . . .	60,155	62,992	
4		Other Females, . . . . .	25,052	28,021	
5	Children under 15, of Able-bodied Inmates, . . . . . {	Illegitimate, . . . . .	5,900	6,540	
6		Other Children, . . . . .	17,138	20,503	
NOT ABLE-BODIED.					
7	Adults,	Married Couples, . . . . . { Males, . . . . .	661	868	
8			Females, . . . . .	661	868
9		Other Males, . . . . .	26,247	29,754	
10		Other Females, . . . . .	18,246	19,662	
11	Children under 15,	Of Parents not able-bodied being Inmates {	Illegitimate, . . . . .	443	464
12			Other Children, . . . . .	1,583	1,918
13		Orphans, or other Children relieved without Parents, . . . . .	7,592	7,768	
LUNATICS, INSANE PERSONS, AND IDIOTS.					
14	Adult Males, . . . . .		1,554	1,650	
15	Adult Females, . . . . .		2,292	2,906	
16	Children under 15, . . . . .		90	91	
17	Total number of Males, . . . . .		92,419	100,999	
18	Do. Females, . . . . .		49,983	55,902	
19	Do. Children under 15, . . . . .		32,861	37,784	
20	Grand Total, . . . . .		175,263	193,995	





No. 4.—SUMMARY of RETURNS from Clerks of Unions, showing for each Province, and for all Ireland, the Number of Persons admitted to the Workhouses during the Year ended 29th September, 1885, distinguishing the Number admitted in Sickness; also the Number of Births and Deaths in the Workhouses during the Year.

PROVINCES.	Number of Persons admitted during the Year.						No. of Births in the Work- houses during the Year.	No. of Deaths in the Work- houses during the Year.
	Number admitted in Sickness.				Number admitted who were not sick.	Total number admitted during the Year.		
	Suffering under Fever or other dangerous contagious diseases.	Suffering under other diseases.	Suffering from acci- dental injury.	Total number admit- ted in sickness.				
ULSTER, . . .	811	7,302	483	8,596	55,548	62,664	820	2,441
MUNSTER, . . .	2,006	17,512	1,378	20,896	69,111	82,197	660	4,385
LEINSTER, . . .	1,180	16,474	1,030	18,684	40,030	107,743	543	3,620
CONNAUGHT, . .	454	3,360	380	3,994	17,697	21,682	103	969
TOTAL, IRELAND,	4,549	44,648	3,171	52,368	222,485	274,693	1,836	11,415

No. 5.—SUMMARY of RETURNS showing for each Province, and for all Ireland, the Number of Sick Persons who received Medical Treatment in the Workhouse Hospitals and Fever Hospitals, during the Year ended 29th September, 1885.

PROVINCES.	Under treatment at the commencement of the Year.				New Cases.				Total Cases treated in Hospitals during the Year.			
	Fever or other dangerous contagious diseases.	Other diseases.	Accidentally injured.	Total.	Fever or other dangerous contagious diseases.	Other diseases.	Accidentally injured.	Total.	Fever or other dangerous contagious diseases.	Other diseases.	Accidentally injured.	Total.
ULSTER, . . .	111	3,297	72	3,480	908	16,734	949	18,612	1,666	10,941	583	22,002
MUNSTER, . . .	212	5,618	165	6,015	2,619	16,785	1,512	20,917	2,820	32,463	1,698	36,922
LEINSTER, . . .	124	5,617	148	5,890	1,929	14,077	1,071	16,982	1,268	29,694	1,113	32,898
CONNAUGHT, . .	68	1,787	29	1,877	332	8,402	225	8,964	207	6,090	224	7,921
TOTAL, IRELAND,	515	10,029	427	10,968	5,548	72,200	3,807	82,755	6,161	85,028	4,234	96,723

No 6.—**STAFFORD** (in pursuance of Sec. 20 of 12 & 13 Vic., c. 104) relative to the **ANNUAL ACCOUNTS**:—(in continuation of Statement in Thirteenth Annual Report of the Local Government Board (Ireland), 1885, Appendix D., No. 6).

i. Date up to which the Accounts of Unions have been audited.

The Accounts of all the Unions have been audited up to the 29th September, 1885.

ii. Sums disallowed or found due on Audit of the Accounts of Unions in Ireland, up to 29th September, 1885, and whether recovered or in course of Recovery from the Parties debited.

Unions.	Half-year ended	Date of Audit.	Amount disallowed or found due.	Whether paid or in course of Recovery.	Observations.—Nature of Sums disallowed, &c.
Armagh, .	29 Sept., 1885, .	14 Dec., 1885, .	£ 1 9 0	Not enforced, .	Out-door relief illegally given. Surcharge against Guardians not enforced, explanation considered satisfactory.
Athlone, .	25 March, 1885, .	13 June, 1885, .	0 8 0	Not enforced, .	Out-door relief given by Relieving Officer without authority. Explanation received that Chairman's initials were omitted through oversight. Authority subsequently obtained.
"	29 Sept., 1885, .	1 Dec., 1885, .	0 2 0	Paid, .	Overpayment to Medical Officer for examining a female. Surcharge to Clerk.
Ashty, .	25 March, 1885, .	23 and 24 July, 1885, .	0 8 0	Paid, .	Unauthorised out-door relief. Surcharge to Relieving Officer.
"	29 Sept., 1885, .	10 and 11 Dec., 1885, and 25 Jan., 1886, .	0 5 0	Paid, .	Overcharge in Clerk's Petty Cash Account.
"	"	"	2 3 7	Not yet paid, .	Overpayment in Collector's poundage. Will be paid immediately.
Ballyasilly, .	"	"	13 15 3	Not yet paid, .	Debitation in accounts of late Relieving Officer. Surcharge applied to Overpayment to Collector.
"	"	"	0 7 0	Paid, .	Value of rations consumed by late Workhouse Master during a period of eleven weeks subsequent to the date of the Sealed Order of the Local Government Board removing him from office. Not enforced under exceptional circumstances subsequently explained.
Ballyvaughan, .	25 March, 1885, .	21 Nov., 1885, .	3 7 10	Not enforced, .	Overpayment to Contractor. Surcharge to Clerk.
"	"	"	0 1 0	Paid, .	Expenditure incurred with sending a person to the Blind Asylum, Dublin. Not enforced on subsequent explanation sent at the unanimous request of the Board of Guardians.
"	"	"	5 10 0	Not enforced, .	

No. 6.—*Statement* (in pursuance of Sec. 20 of 12 and 13 Vic., c. 104) relative to the *Annals of Union Accounts*—(in continuation of *Statement* in Thirteenth Annual Report of the Local Government Board (Ireland), 1885, Appendix D, No. 6)—*continued*.

ii. *Sums disallowed or found due on Audit of the Accounts of Unions in Ireland, up to 29th September, 1885, and whether recovered or in course of Recovery from the Parties debited—continued.*

Unions.	Half-year ends—	Date of Audit.	Amount disallowed or found due.		Whether paid or in course of recovery.	Observations.—Nature of Sums disallowed, &c.
			£	s. d.		
Ballynascree,	20 Sept., 1885,	13 Jan., 1886,	0	2 0	Paid,	Overpayment. Debited to Clerk.
"	"	"	1	9 7	Paid,	Amount due by Clerk since 1880, at foot of a closed account.
Ballinglass,	"	9 Dec., 1885,	1	10 0	Paid,	Value of accessories debited. Charged to late Master.
"	"	"	1	10 0	Paid,	Cost of maintenance charged for a pauper who had not been in the workhouse during the half-year. Debited to late Master.
Barbridge,	25 March, 1885,	14 Oct., 1885,	5	0 10	23 lbs. 7d. paid, in course of recovery,	Overpayment in Collector's payments. Balance remitted.
Bawnboy,	29 Sept., 1885,	20 Jan., 1886,	0	7 6	In course of recovery,	Out-door relief given for expenses previous to funeral. Surcharged against Guardians who ordered it.
Belfast,	25 March, 1885,	3 Oct., 1885,	3	19 2	In course of recovery,	Overpayment to late Schoolmistress. Surcharged to Guardians who authorized it.
"	"	"	3	7 1	Not enforced,	Expenses of arrest and conveyance of a soldier who deserted his wife and family, leaving them chargeable to the Union. Surcharge against Guardians not enforced, wife's family undertaking to repay the expenses.
Callan,	25 March, 1885,	21 July, 1885,	0	12 0	In course of recovery,	Cost of clothing to a child at school, charged for by the Relieving Officer, but not supplied. Surcharged against Relieving Officer.
"	"	"	0	19 0	Paid,	Amount paid for the travelling expenses of an able-bodied person to a convict in Waterford. Surcharged against the Guardians who signed the cheque.
Carraig-na-Shua,	20 Sept., 1885,	10 Nov., 1885,	1	16 0	Remitted,	Unauthorised out-door relief. Surcharged to Guardians, but remitted on explanation.
Cashel,	"	16 Nov., 1885,	1	17 4	Paid,	Illegal out-door relief.
Castleblayney,	25 March, 1885,	2 Jan., 1886,	13	10 0	Paid,	Compensation under Contagious Diseases (Animals) Act, for loss of horses reported to have died of Pacey. Disallowed on the ground that there is no statutory authority for such a payment.
Castlevale,	"	21 July, 1885,	0	3 0	Paid,	Illegal out-door relief. Surcharged to Guardians.
Cavan,	20 Sept., 1885,	25 Jan., 1886,	0	19 5	Paid,	Overpayment to Contractor for machines. Debited to Clerk.
Cellinigo,	25 March, 1885,	10 July, 1885,	0	9 6	Not enforced,	Recouped for payment subsequently produced.
"	"	"	12	4 7	Not enforced,	Deficiency in late Master's stock of provisions. Guardians gave satisfactory reasons for not proceeding to recover amount.

Case.	29 Sept., 1885.	19 Dec., 1885.	0 2 6	Not enforced.	Expenditure on account of out-door relief. Debited to Relieving Officer. Subsequent explanation satisfactory.
Cork.					Travelling expenses of discharged pauper. Will be enforced.
Dublin, South.	25 March, 1885.	12 Feb., 1885.	2 0 0	Not yet paid.	Unauthorized out-door relief. Debited to Relieving Officer.
Dungarvan.	"	21 July, 1885.	6 17 6	Paid.	Exorbitant out-door relief given to a man ejected from his dwelling. Surcharged against the Chairman who authorized it.
Fermoy.	29 Sept., 1885.	24 Nov., 1885.	1 12 6	Not enforced.	Illegal out-door relief. Remitted on explanation of circumstances.
Glin.	"	19 Jan., 1886.	3 3 0	Not yet paid.	Payment for temporary services not sanctioned. Debited to Clerk.
Kennedy.	"	25 Jan., 1886.	1 0 0	Not paid.	Out-door relief illegally effected. This matter is the subject of correspondence with the Board of Guardians, who with the surcharges not to be enforced under circumstances stated by them.
"	"	"	0 10 0	Not paid.	Out-door relief given by Relieving Officer to persons not authorized by the Board of Guardians. Will be enforced.
Kilkeel.	25 March, 1885.	20 Oct., 1885.	1 10 0	Not enforced.	Out-door relief illegally given. Surcharged against Guardians not enforced, explanation having been considered satisfactory.
"	29 Sept., 1885.	10 Feb., 1886.	4 4 0	In course of recovery.	Payment to Medical Officer acting as locum tenens without approval of Local Government Board.
Kilmacdonagh.					Illegal out-door relief. Surcharged against Chairman who authorized it.
Kilmallock.	25 March, 1885.	3 Dec., 1885.	2 1 0	In course of recovery.	Overpaid to Clerk's salary. Debited to Clerk.
"	29 Sept., 1885.	21 Sept., 1885.	32 0 0	Paid.	Overpayment to late Master and Nurses. Debited to Clerk.
Larne.	25 March, 1885.	2 Feb., 1886.	7 1 8	Not yet paid.	Cost of clothing for child. Surcharged against Relieving Officer, but not enforced, vendor subsequently produced.
Lisnara.	29 Sept., 1885.	17 Oct., 1885.	0 13 0	Not enforced.	Provisional out-door relief given to an able-bodied woman to pay her travelling expenses to Quosstown. Surcharged against Relieving Officer.
"	"	2 Feb., 1886.	0 10 0	Not yet paid.	Out-door relief given without authority. Surcharged to Relieving Officer.
Lisnakea.	"	10 Dec., 1885.	3 0 5	Paid.	Overpayment to Contractor for medicine. Debited to Clerk who has since deducted amount thereof from an account due to the Contractor.
Lisnaw.	25 March, 1885.	23 July, 1885.	1 0 0	Paid.	Out-door relief illegally given.
Longford.	"	17 June, 1885.	0 1 6	Paid.	Out-door relief given without authority. Surcharged to Relieving Officer.
Loughrea.	29 Sept., 1885.	5 Dec., 1885.	0 10 0	Paid.	Illegal out-door relief sanctioned by Guardians.
Macroom.	"	17 Nov., 1885.	5 0 0	Not paid.	Out-door relief illegally given. Will be enforced.
Mountmellick.	25 March, 1885.	9 June, 1885.	13 10 0	Not enforced.	Extra postage fees paid to Rate Collector's servant without authority. Not enforced at unanimous request of Board of Guardians. Authority subsequently obtained.
"	"	2 July, 1885.	0 2 6	Paid.	Out-door relief given without authority. Surcharged to Relieving Officer.
Nenagh.	"	19 May, 1885.	0 6 0	Paid.	Out-door relief given to able-bodied widow with one child. Surcharged to Guardian who authorized it.
Norrishole.	"	16 June, 1885.	1 19 9	Paid.	Particular items in Petty Cash Account. Debited to Clerk.
New Ross.	"	16 Aug., 1885.	2 0 0	Not paid.	Out-door relief to a woman apparently able-bodied. Not enforced on subsequent explanation.

No. 6.—STATEMENT (in pursuance of Sec. 20 of 12 and 13 Vic., c. 104) relative to the Audit of Union Accounts:—(In continuation of Statement in Thirteenth Annual Report of the Local Government Board (Ireland), 1885, Appendix D., No. 6)—*continued*.

ii. Sums disallowed or found due on Audit of the Accounts of Unions in Ireland, up to 29th September, 1885, and whether recovered or in course of recovery from the parties debited—*continued*.

Unions	Half-year ended	Date of Audit.	Amount disallowed or found due.	Whether paid or in course of recovery.	Observations.—Notes of Sums disallowed, &c.
New Ross.	29 Sept., 1885.	16 Dec., 1885.	£ s. d. 0 4 0	Not paid.	Out-door relief given without authority. Surcharged against the Relieving Officer. Not enforced at request of the Guardians. This sum was paid to four pauper inmates of the Workhouse for services in assisting Clerk in procuring Parliamentary Voters Lists under New Franchise Act. The circumstances were quite exceptional, but as the payment was illegal it was disallowed. Not enforced, however, under peculiar circumstances of expenditure and in defiance of Guardians' resolution.
Rehoburn.	28 March, 1885.	10 & 19 Feb., 1886. 2 June, 1885.	0 10 0 0 16 0	Paid. Not enforced.	Out-door relief given without authority by Relieving Officer. Chairman's initials omitted through oversight. Authority subsequently obtained.
Sligo.	29 Sept., 1885.	25 Nov., 1885.	0 16 3	Not enforced.	Medicine irregularly obtained. Surcharge not enforced on explanation of Guardians.
Strabane.	"	19 Nov., 1885.	0 14 3	Paid.	Overpayment to Contractor for Medicine. Debited to Clerk.
Thomastown.	25 March, 1885.	9 Feb., 1885.	16 0 0 0 17 5	Paid. Paid.	Interest on overdraft. Surcharged to Guardians. Cost of pelting and peeing of a Resolution of the Board on Guardians on the subject of taxation of dogs. Surcharged against Guardians who signed cheque.
Thomastown.	29 Sept., 1885.	12 Nov., 1885.	0 4 0	Paid.	Out-door relief overcharged by Relieving Officer. Surcharged against him.
Thurles.	29 March, 1885.	15 May, 1885.	0 12 6	Paid.	Unauthorised out-door relief. Surcharged to Relieving Officer.
Tobereeny.	29 Sept., 1885.	16 Dec., 1885.	7 16 10	Not enforced.	Medicine irregularly obtained. Surcharged to Guardians, but surcharge not enforced on explanation.
Udingford.	29 Sept., 1885.	12 Dec., 1885.	106 7 5	Not yet paid.	Deficiency in late Master's accounts.
Yongstal.	25 March, 1885.	22 Sept., 1885.	1 16 0	Paid.	Illegal out-door relief. Surcharged against Guardians who authorised it.
"	29 Sept., 1885.	19 Nov., 1885.	1 2 0	Not paid.	Illegal out-door relief. Surcharge not enforced on subsequent explanation.

No. 7.—UNION OFFICERS' SUPERANNUATION.—Statement of Allowances under the Superannuation Acts in force during any portion of the year ended 29th September, 1885; showing also the cases in which the Allowances had terminated during the year. (In continuation of Statement in the Thirtieth Report of the Local Government Board (Ireland), 1885, Appendix D, No. 7.)

Date of Consent of Local Government Board.	Union.	Name of Officer.	Office.	Age, Years.	Period of Service as a Union Officer.	Case of Retirement.	Annual Salary.	Annual Superannuation Allowance.	If terminated, date of termination.
17 June, 1878	Abbeyleix	Margaret Bingham.	Fever Hospital Nurse.	58	12	Permanent infirmity of body.	£ s. d. 48 0 0	20 0 0	
9 Nov. 1881	Do.	Thomas Seta.	Medical Officer of Workhouse.	87	36	Old age.	50 0 0	33 0 0	
18 Nov. 1870	Ardrin	Anna Sharvelly.	Matron.	59	27½	Infirmity of body.	25 0 0	20 0 0	
11 June, 1879	Do.	John Bodd.	Master Tailor.	75	33	Old age and infirmity of body.	43 10 0	26 0 0	
25 Aug. 1880	Do.	Martha McColleghe.	Infirmary Nurse.	50	14½	Infirmity of body.	33 0 0	50 0 0	
14 Sept. 1881	Ardee	Thomas Beath.	Clerk.	63	26	Permanent infirmity of body.	100 0 0	68 15 4	
22 July, 1884	Do.	John Wall.	Porter of Workhouse.	77	37½	Old age and permanent infirmity of body.	54 14 10	15 0 0	
12 July, 1849	Armagh	Elleanor Wilkin.	Schoolmistress.	38	15½	Infirmity of mind.	25 0 0	10 0 0	
18 Nov. 1873	Do.	Malcolm McNeill Johnston.	Clerk.	37	28	Infirmity of body.	100 0 0	180 0 0	
15 Mar. 1877	Do.	Andrew Simpson.	Dispensary Medical Officer.	65	25	Old age.	75 0 0	50 0 0	
19 April, 1872	Arblane	Michael R. Cassalf.	Relieving Officer.	54	24½	Infirmity of body.	30 0 0	20 0 0	
13 Oct. 1873	Do.	Elizabeth Cowley.	Schoolmistress.	45	26½	Do.	51 8 7	34 0 0	
20 Jan. 1874	Ally	Eliza Barford.	Cook.	69	12	Infirmity of body.	8 0 0	6 0 0	
30 Dec. 1881	Do.	James Cooper.	Relieving Officer.	61½	34	Permanent infirmity of mind.	40 0 0	22 13 4	
22 Mar. 1883	Do.	Michael Cummins.	Gale Porter.	73½	17½	Permanent infirmity of body.	40 17 4	10 0 0	
18 Nov. 1874	Ballinacorney.	John Myers Atkins.	Medical Officer of Dispensary District.	70	22½	Old age.	50 0 0	20 0 0	
14 April, 1873	Do.	Patrick Lynch.	Four Rate Collector.	69	13½	Infirmity of body.	19 13 10	12 0 0	

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Date of Grant of Local Government Board.	Union.	Names of Officers.	Office.	Age, Years.	Period of Service at Local Government Office.	Cause of Retirement.	* Annual Salary.	Annual Superannuation Allowance.	If terminated, date of termination.
3 May, 1881	Ballina	John P. Nolan	Relieving Officer	65	16½	Permanent infirmity of body and mind.	25 0 0	16 13 4	
2 Oct. 1883	Do.	Charles Edwards	Do.	69½	18	Permanent infirmity of body.	20 0 0	14 0 0	
13 May, 1885	Do.	Richard O'Loughlin	Dispensary Porter	65	15½	Do.	14 0 0	6 0 0	
16 Aug. 1880	Ballinacree	Edward Sharpe	Relieving Officer	71	39½	Old age	25 0 0	16 13 4	
3 Aug. 1881	Do.	William Scarry	Porter	81	16½	Permanent infirmity of body.	20 0 0	20 0 0	
19 Jan. 1885	Do.	Edmond P. Starkey	Medical Officer of Dispensary District.	79	39½	Old age	124 13 8	74 1 0	
30 June, 1885	Do.	Dominick Burke	Medical Officer of Workhouse.	70	32½	Do.	120 0 0	80 0 0	
23 June, 1883	Ballyrobe	John Maher	Schoolmaster	53	13	Infirmity of body	25 0 0	15 0 0	
1 Aug. 1879	Do.	Mark Walsh	Dispensary Porter	75	27	Old age	6 0 0	4 0 0	
14 Dec. 1880	Ballycastle	Timothy Kelly	Relieving Officer	73	26½	Do.	26 0 0	5 0 0	
26 May, 1875	Ballymahon	Mary Smith	Hospital Nurse	72	21½	Do.	12 0 0	22 0 0	
29 July, 1883	Do.	Sellina Murray	Matron	64½	33½	Do.	58 0 0	38 0 0	
21 Dec. 1881	Ballymahon	Mary Daly	Fever Hospital Nurse	70	17½	Old age and permanent infirmity of mind.	16 5 8	16 0 0	28 June, 1885.
21 Jan. 1872	Ballyvaghan	Ellen Hanson	Matron of Workhouse	63	21½	Old age and infirmity	20 0 0	13 4 8	
13 Oct. 1874	Do.	Edmond Hogan	Medical Officer of Workhouse.	77	25½	Old age	40 0 0	40 0 0	
12 Aug. 879	Do.	James Francis	Porter of Workhouse	79	15½	Infirmity of body	10 0 0	8 0 0	
6 Dec. 1872	Babrothory	Emily L. Whelan	Fever Hospital Nurse	42	24½	Do.	25 0 0	18 0 0	
6 April, 1880	Do.	Wm. E. Adrien	Medical Officer of Workhouse and Dispensary District.	70	39	Old age and infirmity of body.	229 0 6	182 17 6	



Date.	Name.	Rank.	Service.	Age.	Pay.	Pension.	Total.	Remarks.	Date.
1 Jan. 1884	Do.		Matron of Dispensary	72					
9 Feb. 1879	Birmingham		Matron	36					
11 April, 1883	Do.		Schoolmistress	72					
9 July, 1874	Banbridge		Believing Officer	61					
11 Dec. 1878	Banden		Do.	82					
12 Jan. 1880	Barnsby		Porter	45					
26 Jan. 1866	Bellart		Master	64					
13 Dec. 1886	Do.		Believing Officer	44					
7 June, 1875	Do.		Rate Collector	79					
6 Sept. 1882	Do.		Hospital Bathwoman and Female Scavenger	75					
9 Sept. 1885	Do.		Apothecary of Dispensary District	56					
1 May, 1874	Belshill		Believing Officer	65					
16 Dec. 1880	Do.		Matron	40					
28 Mar. 1882	Do.		Medical Officer of Workhouse	60					
7 June, 1882	Do.		Medical Officer of Dispensary District	60					
28 Mar. 1882	Do.		Matron	60					
4 Feb. 1872	Berrisokane		Matron	77					
25 Oct. 1873	Do.		Matron	61					
28 May, 1874	Boyle		Matron	56					
19 Feb. 1875	Do.		Fever Hospital Nurse	42					
4 Nov. 1880	Cabaretrem		Clerk	42					
26 Jan. 1882	Do.		Fever Hospital Nurse	58					
14 Feb. 1882	Do.		Believing Officer	68					
26 Feb. 1880	Callan		Do.	74					
26 June, 1876	Carlow		Fever Hospital Nurse	70					
8 July, 1876	Do.		Porter	72					

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Date of Grant of Local Government Board.	Union.	Name of Officer.	Office.	Age, Years.	Period of Service as a Union Officer.	Cases of Retirement.	Annual Salary.	Annual Superannuation Allowance.	If terminated, date of termination.
21 May, 1879	Carriok-on-Shannon	Henry Hogg	Relieving Officer	70	29	Old age and infirmity	£ 34 0 0	£ 4 0 0	
11 Aug. 1884	Do.	Mary J. Hooley	Fever Hospital Nurse	69½	36½	Old age	38 17 9	50 0 0	
9 Aug. 1872	Carriok-on-Shannon	Mary Cahill	Infirmity Nurse	83	11	Infirmity of body	23 0 0	8 0 0	
25 Jan. 1878	Do.	Christina Osborne	Fever Hospital Nurse	49	21	Do.	53 0 0	13 0 0	
30 Jan. 1879	Do.	Richard Hassett	Shoemaker	60	22	Old age and infirmity	26 0 0	17 6 8	
7 Feb. 1885	Do.	John B. Reynett	Medical Officer of Dispensary District.	54	33½	Old age	124 10 8	63 0 0	
4 May, 1870	Cashel	M. A. Poshan	Matron	41	22	Permanent infirmity of body.	20 0 0	20 0 0	
3 Jan. 1881	Do.	Francis C. Burges	Medical Officer of Dispensary District.	63	26½	Do.	123 0 0	53 0 0	
5 June, 1871	Castletown	Mary Medlar	Matron	66	19½	Infirmity of mind and body.	33 0 0	20 0 0	
13 Oct. 1874	Do.	Celia Thompson	Schoolmistress	35	11½	Infirmity of body	23 0 0	8 0 0	
13 Aug. 1874	Castletown	John Wright Swan	Medical Officer of Dispensary District.	64	24	Do.	136 3 4	50 0 0	
16 Sept. 1879	Castlederg	Margaret Percy	Infirmity Nurse	71	29½	Do.	8 0 0	6 0 0	
24 June, 1870	Castletown	Præmises Callinich	Matron	54	30	Do.	20 0 0	18 3 0	
24 April, 1871	Do.	Andrew Dillon	Medical Officer of Dispensary District.	68	19	Do.	110 0 0	75 4 8	19 Sept. 1885.
31 Dec. 1873	Do.	John Coleman	Relieving Officer	66	22½	Do.	22 0 0	12 0 0	
27 Dec. 1879	Do.	Wm. Cuyvalde	Medical Officer of Dispensary District.	64	27½	Old age	141 0 0	100 0 0	
30 Mar. 1880	Do.	Stephen McDermott	Relieving Officer	69	14½	Infirmity of body	20 0 0	12 0 0	
6 Nov. 1874	Castletown	Philip A. Armstrong	Medical Officer of Dispensary District.	60	24½	Old age	100 0 0	60 0 0	
3 May, 1883	Do.	Barth. McAuliffe	Poor Rate Collector.	74½	21½	Do.	20 1 3	8 0 0	



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Date of Cessant of Local Government Board	Union.	Name of Officer.	Office.	Age, Years.	Period of Service as a Union Officer.	Cause of Retirement.	Annual Salary.	Annual Superannuation Allowance.	If terminated, date of termination.
20 Dec. 1879	Cork.	Anno Mulhane	Wardmistress	45	17½	Infirmary of body	£ 0 0	£ s. d.	
23 Nov. 1880	Do.	Matthew Nunan	Master Shoemaker	58	21 nearly	Permanent infirmity of body.	47 0 0	28 0 0	
9 Dec. 1881	Do.	Eliam Corbett	Fever Hospital Nurse	58	50½	Do.	45 10 0	35 8 0	
21 Feb. 1878	Galway	Michael M'Sweeney	Medical Officer of Dispensary District and Sanitary Officer.	69	23½	Old age	55 15 10	25 0 0	
7 July, 1874	Croagh	John Worrall	Medical Officer of Dispensary District.	54	35	Infirmary of body	140 11 6	93 14 4	
23 Dec. 1881	Dublin	Anne Mahon	Hospital Nurse	67	14	Permanent infirmity of mind.	32 13 0	12 0 0	30 June, 1885
1 Apr. 1882	Do.	William Keary	Workhouse Porter.	70	14	Permanent infirmity of body.	25 0 0	7 0 0	
22 Sept. 1882	Dingle	Mary Grey	Matron	58	20½	Infirmary of body	35 0 0	23 6 8	
4 Oct. 1878	Do.	Peter Kennedy	Clark	79	30½	Old age	147 2 0	98 6 0	
30 Dec. 1878	Do.	Henry Webb	Apothecary of Workhouse and of Dispensary District.	70	21½	Infirmity of body	96 0 0	36 0 0	
18 May, 1884	Do.	Bridget Garvey	Schoolmistress	53½	12½	Permanent infirmity of mind and body.	47 0 0	9 8 0	
25 Jan. 1882	Doughmore	Henry Joseph Smith	Medical Officer of Workhouse and Dispensary District.	63½	21½	Permanent infirmity of body.	219 19 10	160 13 4	
15 Feb. 1876	Downpatrick	John W. Harrison	Medical Officer of Dispensary District.	79	24	Infirmary of body	121 6 8	80 0 0	27 Jan. 1883.
24 July, 1882	Do.	James Williamson	Shoemaker	68	20½	Permanent infirmity of body	39 0 0	15 4 0	9 Aug. 1886

Date	Place	Name	Rank	Age	Pay	Gratuity	Notes
9 Jan. 1890	Droghda	Martin Doolaghan	Matron	57	22½	Do.	30 0 0
14 Feb. 1894	Do.	Patrick M'Ginn	Relieving Officer	62½	32½	Do.	38 10 6
23 May, 1878	Droghda West	Catherine Coghlan	Matron	46	10½	Do.	5 0 0
27 April, 1871	Dublin North.	Fredrick Harford	Assistant Master	43	19	Infirmity of mind	84 12 4
23 April, 1873	Do.	Benjamin G. Darley	Medical Officer of Dispensary District.	65	20	Old age	85 6 8
30 April, 1873	Do.	George Thornble	Gale Porter at Workhouse.	64	25½	Do.	52 0 0
7 July, 1874	Do.	Annie Scott	Head Nurse of Workhouse	55	27	Infirmity of body	76 6 0
31 Oct. 1874	Do.	John Jenkins	Assistant Schoolmaster	64	26	Do.	85 15 2
20 Feb. 1840	Do.	Fredk. Kirkpatrick	Medical Officer of Workhouse.	68	40	Old age and infirmity	150 0 0
29 July, 1840	Do.	Charles O'Malley	Wardenmaster	49	14½	Infirmity of body	62 2 0
21 April, 1863	Do.	John Weddick	Matron	53½	32½	Permanent infirmity of body.	149 3 3
14 Oct. 1883	Do.	John B. Ferguson	Medical Officer of Dispensary District	64½	30½	Do.	22½ 4 11
4 Nov. 1884	Do.	Patrick Hughes	Night Watchman	75	13	Do.	37 16 0
18 Feb. 1833	Do.	Michael Kavanagh	Wardenmaster	50½	11½	Do.	12 18 9
30 Feb. 1835	Do.	Mary A. Allen	Scotchmistress	63½	26½	Old age and infirmity of body.	101 15 6
28 Mar. 1870	Dublin, South	James Brinn	Master Tailor	68	20	Do.	54 12 0
28 May, 1870	Do.	Edward M'Kevy	Gale Porter	52	12	Infirmity of body	10 5 0
5 April, 1875	Do.	Henry Crody	Medical Officer of Dispensary District	71	27	Old age	85 16 0
18 July, 1878	Do.	Richard Riley	Male Lunatic Keeper	68	30½	Old age and infirmity	125 0 0
26 Nov. 1878	Do.	Peter Shannon	Medical Officer of Workhouse.	69	32	Do.	180 0 0
32 Dec. 1878	Do.	Rosanna Kennedy	Matron	63½	40½	Old age and permanent infirmity of body.	180 0 0
13 Feb. 1822	Do.	John Harvey	Relieving Officer	71	16½	Permanent infirmity of body.	19 10 0
9 Jan. 1823	Do.	Henry J. Conlon	Apothecary	58	50½	Do.	304 0 0
15 July, 1833	Do.	George Wm. Owens	Medical Officer of Workhouse.	38½	14½	Permanent infirmity of mind and body.	150 0 0
8 Sept. 1823	Do.	Patrick Lamb	Master Carpenter	73½	23½	Old age	91 0 0
21 May, 1834	Do.	John Carr	Roman Catholic Chaplain	48	32½	Do.	313 17 4
3 Dec. 1884	Do.	Samuel Campbell	Relieving Officer	64½	17	Permanent infirmity of body.	190 0 0
22 Feb. 1831	Dungarvan	Andrew Hunt	Medical Officer of Workhouse.	57	28	Do.	150 0 0

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Date of Consent of Local Government Board.	Union.	Name of Officer.	Office.	Age, Years.	Period of Service as a Union Officer.	Cause of Retirement.	*Annual Salary.	Annual Superannuation Allowance.	If terminated, date of termination.
9 June, 1881	Dungarvan	James Peters	Porter	79	17	Permanent infirmity of body.	£ s. d. 20 0 0	£ s. d. 25 0 0	
1 Mar. 1881	Dunsmuir	Stephen Holmes	Medical Officer of Dispensary District.	61½	26½	Do.	120 0 0	100 0 0	
15 Aug. 1881	Do.	Douglas O'Leary	Relieving Officer	67	24	Old age and permanent infirmity of body.	14 0 0	10 0 0	31 Dec. 1884.
5 Nov. 1884	Do.	Margaret Farr	Infirmity Nurse	64½	24	Do.	30 0 0	13 10 0	
19 Aug. 1873	Bladenny	T. P. Edwards	Medical Officer of Dispensary District.	54	23	Infirmity of body	110 0 0	75 0 0	
5 June, 1879	Do.	Christopher Nolan	Porter	84	23½	Do.	35 0 0	20 0 0	
14 Jan. 1880	Do.	Mary Anne Flynn	Infirmity Nurse	46	24½	Do.	35 15 7	13 0 0	
10 Mar. 1882	Do.	Thomas Evans	Tailor	69	24½	Old age	31 6 0	15 0 0	
10 July, 1884	Do.	Patrick Hogan	Relieving Officer	75	21½	Permanent infirmity of body.	38 0 0	£ 13 6	
19 Oct. 1869	Ennis	B. J. McNamara	Schoolmaster	88	15	Infirmity of body	34 0 0	18 0 0	
10 Aug. 1871	Do.	Honora Fay	Matron	47	18	Do.	35 0 0	50 0 0	
14 Nov. 1883	Do.	Patrick Maxwell Cullinan.	Medical Officer of Workhouses.	77½	42½	Old age	110 0 0	73 6 8	
14 Nov. 1884	Do.	Mary A. Griffin.	Infirmity Nurse.	50	13	Permanent infirmity of body.	44 10 0	10 6 6	
25 Oct. 1867	Enniscorthy	Margaret Harris	Schoolmistress	45	22	Infirmity of body	20 0 0	10 0 0	
26 Aug. 1871	Do.	John Taylor	Medical Officer of Dispensary District.	66	32	Do.	50 0 0	30 0 0	
11 Feb. 1872	Enniskillen	Rebecca Carson	Matron	74	23	Old age	30 0 0	20 0 0	
21 Sept. 1869	Do.	Alexander Flood	Medical Officer of Dispensary District.	63	26	Infirmity of body	160 13 0	107 2 0	



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Date of Consent of Local Government Board.	Union.	Name of Officer.	Office.	Age, Years.	Period of Service as a Union Officer.	Cause of Retirement.	* Annual Salary.	Annual Superannuation Allowance.	If terminated, date of termination.
19 July, 1872	Kanturk	Kate Gilford	Matron	45	22½	Infirmity of body	50 0 0	50 0 0	
20 April, 1882	Do.	Thomas H. Dagg	Master	56	22½	Permanent infirmity of body.	141 0 0	70 0 0	
4 July, 1883	Do.	Josannah O'Sullivan	Medical Officer of Dispensary District.	70½	30½	Do.	100 12 6	107 0 0	
18 Aug. 1879	Kells	Ralph McDermott	Do.	68	21½	Infirmity of body.	120 0 0	60 0 0	
11 Dec. 1884	Do.	Edward Brady	Relieving Officer.	73	01	Old age and permanent infirmity of body.	64 0 0	32 13 4	
6 April, 1878	Kemare.	Adrian Taylor	Medical Officer of Dispensary District.	64	23	Infirmity of body	130 0 0	65 0 0	
2 Sept. 1880	Do.	Thomas A. Feller	Relieving Officer	74	32½	Old age	25 0 0	23 6 8	
17 July, 1888	Kilkeel	Ellen McLaughlin	Midwife	69½	20½	Old age and permanent infirmity of body.	20 0 0	13 6 8	
17 Sept. 1875	Kilkenny	Smithwick Carpenter	Medical Officer of Dispensary District and Fever Hospital, and Sanitary Officer.	64	17½	Permanent infirmity	100 3 6	100 0 0	
13 June, 1883	Killbuckyst	Henry Delority	Porter	71½	4½	Permanent infirmity of body.	35 0 8	2 7 1	April, 1886.
1 June, 1881	Killash	Richard Walsh	Porter of Dispensary District.	51	28	Old age	8 0 0	5 6 8	
12 Aug. 1881	Do.	John F. Kirkwood	Collector of Poor Rate	59	28	Permanent infirmity of body.	63 12 6	27 0 0	
6 Dec. 1879	Killarney	J. D. Sullivan	Relieving Officer	72	25	Old age and infirmity	40 0 0	23 13 4	
12 Nov. 1875	Do.	Bedelia Lambert	Matron	53	27	Infirmity of body	100 0 0	60 0 0	
21 April, 1880	Do.	John O'Halloran	Medical Officer of Dispensary District.	60	26	Do.	138 5 10	92 0 0	18 June, 1885.
8 Oct. 1860	Do.	Robert Twiss	Do.	78	26	Old age and infirmity.	100 0 0	64 0 0	





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Date of Death of Local Government Board.	Union.	Name of Officer.	Office.	Age, Years.	Period of Service as a Union Officer.	Case of Retirement.	* Annual Salary.	Annual Superannuation Allowance.	If terminated, date of termination.
12 April, 1873	Kilmore	Sarah C. Morry	Matron	48	25½	Infirmity of mind	60 0 0	40 0 0	
20 Aug. 1860	Do.	Margaret Hallahan	Fever Hospital Nurse.	69	31½	Infirmity	43 0 0	20 0 0	
20 Aug. 1869	Lisnakea	James Haile	Clerk	61	26½	Infirmity of mind and body.	83 0 0	43 0 0	
12 June, 1877	Do.	Harriett Beatty	Schoolmistress.	45	8½	Infirmity of body	29 0 0	8 0 0	
9 Jan. 1863	Lisnawel	Garrett Fitzmaurice	Relieving Officer	42	17	Do.	34 0 0	20 0 0	
10 July, 1873	Londonderry	Ellen Cochran	Matron	53	23	Do.	68 0 0	35 0 0	
14 Mar. 1883	Loughford	Thomas Farrell	Relieving Officer	70½	29½	Old age and permanent infirmity of body.	45 0 0	23 10 0	
11 April, 1879	Loughrea	James Shannon	Porter	45	18	Infirmity of body	15 0 0	10 0 0	
2 Mar. 1884	Do.	Susan Fahy	Hospital Nurse.	40½	27½	Old age	59 2 0	30 0 0	
9 Jan. 1876	Lurgan	Susan Anderson	Matron	43	33½	Do.	43 0 0	35 0 0	
29 June, 1880	Do.	George Buddell	Relieving Officer	45	24½	Do.	59 0 0	40 0 0	
29 Oct. 1873	Marsson	Thomas Godfrey	Medical Officer of Dispensary District.	71	21	Do.	128 1 11	52 0 0	
21 Oct. 1880	Do.	Thomas F. Herley	Clerk	55	23	Permanent infirmity of body.	160 0 0	114 0 0	
4 May, 1882	Do.	Catherine Harrington	Curate of Dispensary	66	27½	Do.	6 0 0	4 0 0	
9 Aug. 1878	Magherafelt	Zachariah Maxwell	Medical Officer of Dispensary District and Sanitary Officer.	77	36	Old age	129 0 0	83 13 4	7 Jan. 1883.
11 Oct. 1873	Mallow	Ellen Ahern	Fever Hospital Nurse	70	20½	Do.	13 0 0	15 0 0	
27 Feb. 1880	Do.	Patience Berry	Medical Officer of Dispensary District.	42	21½	Infirmity of body	373 0 0	160 0 0	

21 June, 1863 1 April, 1885	Do. Do.	Denial Leary Mary Council.	Master Tailor Caretaker of Dispensary	70 70	20½ 16½	Old age, Permanent infirmary of body.	31 4 0 7 0 0	30 8 0 3 0 8
3 Sept. 1872	Manchester	Thomas Davis.	Medical Officer of Work- house.	56	29½	Infirmary of body.	100 0 0	46 12 4
2 Aug. 1872	Do.	Catharine Burke	Fever Hospital Nurse	45	25	Old age	30 0 0	50 0 0
8 April, 1880	Do.	Thomas M. Nash	Medical Officer of Dispensary District.	55	28	Infirmary of body.	127 0 0	50 0 0
9 Dec. 1874	Midleton	Catherine Garry	Linenry Nurse	64	20½	Old age and infirmary of body.	20 0 0	10 0 0
1 June, 1881	Do.	William Ahearn	Baker	52	24	Permanent infirmary of mind.	22 0 0	34 12 4
6 Feb. 1882	Do.	Patrick Barin	Master	67½	20½	Old age	111 0 0	70 0 0
6 Feb. 1882	Do.	Ellen Curran	Madron	63½	46½	Do.	69 0 0	40 0 0
95 May, 1882	Do.	Margaret Scanlan	Wardmistress	70½	24½	Old age and permanent infirmary of body.	34 0 0	18 14 0
18 Mar. 1874	Midstreet.	Thomas Barrett	Relieving Officer	45	27	Old age and infirmary	33 15 6	22 10 8
2 Oct. 1877	Do.	Catherine Walsh	Madron	40	24½	Infirmary of body	40 0 0	23 0 0
20 Sept. 1888	Do.	Jeremiah O'Sullivan	Medical Officer of Dispensary District.	70	25	Permanent infirmary of body.	165 13 2	70 10 0
7 Jan. 1879	Midledown	James Fitzgerald	Shoemaker	60	27	Old age and infirmary	24 17 7	10 0 0
19 Aug. 1871	Midhill	Patrick Mulholland	Relieving Officer	42	23	Old age	33 0 0	22 0 0
3 Feb. 1879	Do.	Michael Donoghue	Medical Officer of Dispensary District.	41	24	Infirmary of body	128 5 4	85 10 2
19 Mar. 1882	Do.	Mary Killeah	Linenry Nurse	64½	14½	Permanent infirmary of body.	42 2 4	10 10 0
14 Mar. 1883	Do.	Michael Blake.	Tailor	70½	20½	Old age and infirmary of body.	21 0 0	18 12 0
16 Mar. 1874	Monaghan	John Douglas	Relieving Officer	54	21	Infirmary of body	40 0 0	29 0 0
6 Aug. 1873	Do.	Margaret Eakin	Madron	61	21½	Do.	26 0 0	13 0 0
3 April, 1871	Mountmellick	Margaret Diamond	Do.	54	27½	Infirmary of mind and body.	35 0 0	18 0 0
9 Sept. 1881	Do.	Joseph Clarke.	Medical Officer of Work- house and Dispensary District.	69½	50	Old age and permanent infirmary of body.	290 0 0	148 9 5
28 April, 1882	Do.	Robert Goodbody	Clerk	59½	33½	Permanent infirmary of body.	270 0 3	140 0 0
3 July, 1883	Do.	Sarah Conroy	Fever Hospital Nurse	69½	20½	Do.	45 18 10	25 0 0
19 July, 1872	Midlagar	John N. Pilkington	Relieving Officer	50	24	Infirmary of body	45 0 0	30 0 0
20 Mar. 1876	Do.	Frederick Kerr	Do.	53	27	Do.	50 0 0	33 0 0
6 June, 1877	Do.	Anne McLothan	Fever Hospital Nurse	60	14	Do.	20 0 0	18 0 0

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Date of Election of Local Government Board.	Union.	Name of Officer.	Office.	Age, Years.	Period of Service as a Union Officer.	Cause of Retirement.	*Annual Salary.	Annual Superannuation Allowance.	If terminated, date of termination.
3 Sept. 1878	Mullingar	Marianne Busell	Schoolmistress	59	17	Infirmary of body	60 19 0	10 0 0	
24 April, 1879	Do.	Dillon Kelly	Medical Officer of Workhouses.	62	22½	Old age	125 0 0	43 6 8	12 Mar. 1884.
1 Feb. 1883	Do.	Henry Jackson.	Master Tailor	54½	53½	Permanent infirmity of body.	53 0 0	20 0 0	
7 Jan. 1883	Do.	Honorina Moore	Laundress	56	39	Old age and permanent infirmity of body.	33 0 0	10 0 0	
18 April, 1882	Do.	Richard English	Master	49	27½	Old age	113 13 7	44 10 0	
" "	Do.	Anne English	Mastron	53½	27½	Permanent infirmity of body.	87 13 7	43 10 0	
6 Aug. 1885	Do.	Anne McTernan	Midwife of Dispensary District and Dispensary Caretaker.	62	13	Do.	25 0 0	10 0 0	
21 April, 1876	Nass	Elizabeth O'Connell	Infirmary Nurse	61	16½	Infirmary of body	24 0 0	15 0 0	
22 May, 1878	Do.	Patrick Bannion	Schoolmaster	61	6½	Do.	38 0 0	15 0 0	
17 June, 1880	Do.	Margaret Murray	Midwife	65	9½	Old age and permanent infirmity of body.	20 0 0	5 0 0	
30 Feb. 1885	Do.	Robert S. Hayes	Medical Officer of Dispensary District.	73½	32½	Old age.	152 6 6	60 0 0	
10 April, 1880	Navan.	Thomas M'Guilly	Medical Officer of Dispensary District.	79	38	Do.	133 1 10	63 14 6	
25 July, 1883	Do.	Patrick J. Nicholls.	Medical Officer of Workhouses.	74	43½	Do.	106 0 0	62 13 4	
" "	Do.	Do.	Medical Officer of Dispensary District.	74	32½	Do.	179 2 6	119 8 4	
12 Sept. 1872	Slough	Mary M'Glynn	Schoolmistress.	46	13½	Infirmary of body	28 0 0	12 0 0	
21 Sept. 1875	Do.	Margaret Carroll	Infirmary Nurse	50	17½	Permanent infirmity of body.	15 0 0	23 5 8	
21 Mar. 1883	Do.	James Goring	Master	60½	19½	Permanent infirmity of body.	100 0 0	50 0 0	
1 April, 1885	Newcastle.	Margaret Makenzie	Female Searcher in Workhouse.	65	17½	Do.	29 3 9	10 14 0	



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Date of Creation of Local Government Board.	Union.	Name of Officer.	Office.	Age, Years.	Period of Service as Union Officer.	Cause of Retirement.	* Annual Salary.	Annual Superannuation Allowance.	If terminate date of termination.
22 April, 1881	Rathfrum	Ellen Curran	Fevers Hospital Nurse	28	23	Old age	£ 20 0 0	25 0 0	
8 Sept. 1882	Do.	Richard McQuillean	Medical Officer of Dispensary District.	43½	20½	Infirmity of body.	120 0 0	50 0 0	11 May, 1885.
30 July, 1883	Do.	James Vance	Medical Officer of Workhouse.	39½	13½	Permanent infirmity of mind.	139 0 0	46 0 0	7 Aug. 1885.
29 April, 1881	Rosemount	Thomas Ryan	Relieving Officer and Collector of Poor Rates.	61	38	Old age	25 0 0	23 8 0	
18 Nov. 1881	Do.	Isabel O'Keefe	Schoolmistress.	44	26½	Permanent infirmity of body.	59 18 0	32 0 0	
25 Feb. 1884	Do.	Patrick Murray	Clerk	83½	21½	Do.	147 14 9	70 8 7	
19 May, 1866	Shillagh	Ellen Davies	Matron	61	24	Infirmity	25 0 0	8 8 8	
25 Sept. 1872	Do.	John W. Hooker	Medical Officer of Workhouse and of Dispensary District.	64	37	Infirmity of body	182 5 2	121 10 1	
18 Jan. 1878	Slithmore	Margaret Jervais	Schoolmistress	45	22	Do.	39 13 4	25 0 0	
24 Aug. 1880	Do.	James G. Somerville	Medical Officer of Dispensary District.	71	20	Old age	158 18 4	99 0 0	
30 July, 1884	Do.	Honora Attridge	Matron	47½	21½	Do.	88 0 0	40 0 0	
5 Mar. 1885	Do.	John L. Donovan	Medical Officer of Dispensary District.	36½	4½	Infirmity of mind and body.	156 13 0	38 8 0	
" "	Do.	Do.	Medical Officer of Workhouse.	36½	4½	Do.	89 0 0	12 13 4	
18 June, 1872	Skull	Eliza Holland	Hospital Nurse.	80	22	Old age and infirmity	8 0 0	5 0 8	
21 Dec. 1871	Sligo	John Loughheed	Apothecary of Dispensary District.	78	18	Infirmity of body	59 0 0	23 8 8	23 June, 1885.
19 Oct. 1873	Do.	Bridget Milnes	Assistant Hospital Nurse	60	11	Do.	29 1 7	9 13 10	
23 Sept. 1874	Do.	Rose Carney	Fevers Hospital Nurse	73	22	Old age and infirmity of body.	29 0 0	20 4 6	18 Dec. 1884.



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Date of Grant of Local Government Board.	Union.	Name of Officer.	Office.	Age, Years.	Period of Service as a Union Officer.	Cause of Retirement.	* Annual Salary.	Annual Superannuation Allowance.	If Retired, Date of Retirement.
17 Oct. 1884	Trillick	John Moore	Schoolmaster.	54½	33½	Permanent infirmity of body.	£ 8. 0	£ 8. 0	
27 Sept. 1886	Tam.	Ellis Conn	Matron	40	17½	Infirmity of body	15 0 0	16 15 4	May, 1885.
30 May, 1879	Do.	Daghy French	Medical Officer of Dispensary District.	59	37	Old age	148 0 0	160 0 0	
9 April, 1884	Do.	Catharina Fether	Infirmity Nurse	35½	41	Permanent infirmity of body.	£2 15 4	£ 10 8	
18 Nov. 1870	Tullamore	Ethier Quinn	Nurse in Fever Hospital.	37	28	Old age	15 0 0	10 0 0	2 Oct. 1884.
6 Mar. 1871	Waterford	Margaret Moriarty	Assistant Fever Hospital Nurse.	67½	16	Do.	8 0 0	5 8 8	27 June, 1885.
20 June, 1876	Do.	James Reaney	Relieving Officer	63	14	Infirmity of body	75 0 0	50 0 0	
18 Jan. 1877	Do.	Annie Sloane	Infirmity Nurse	60	24½	Do.	51 0 0	39 0 0	
22 Dec. 1853	Do.	Robert Jua. Burdett	Medical Officer of Workhouse.	77½	45½	Old age	109 0 0	68 13 4	
17 June, 1868	Westport	Eliza M. A. Wilson	Matron	38	15	Infirmity of body	31 10 0	21 0 0	
14 Aug. 1883	Do.	Mary McCarthy	Workhouse Hospital Nurse.	62½	13	Permanent infirmity of body.	38 0 0	14 0 0	
14 June, 1872	Youghal	William C. Peelo	Medical Officer of Dispensary District.	63	20	Infirmity of body	100 0 0	64 15 4	
16 Sept. 1877	Do.	Henry C. Garde	Do.	61	26	Do.	90 0 0	40 0 0	
15 Nov. 1881	Do.	Mary Geman	Matron	71	26½	Old age	70 14 5	30 0 0	
7 Feb. 1882	Do.	Jonathan Coleman	Carotaker of Dispensary	75	19	Permanent infirmity of body.	13 0 0	8 13 4	

NOTE.—The amount of Superannuation, as given in the foregoing Table, is in some cases calculated on the salary alone and in others on the salary and emoluments. \* In many cases the amount set forth in this column includes emoluments as well as salary.



## APPENDIX E.

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### TABULAR RETURNS IN CONNEXION WITH RELIEF UNDER THE MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT.

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[NOTE.—In this series of Tables, the Unions are classed in the Counties and Provinces in which the chief or central place of the respective Unions is situate; but many of the Unions comprise parts of more than one County or Province. The total of Population and Area of the Unions in the respective Counties and Provinces, as arranged in these Tables, will not, therefore, agree with the summaries of those Counties and Provinces in the Census Returns. An Alphabetical Index List of the Dispensary Districts is annexed (No. 6), showing the name of the Union in which each District is situate, and referring to the table and page in which the particulars relating to each District are to be found.]

STATEMENT OF ALTERATIONS in DISPENSARY DISTRICTS in Unions in Ireland (arranged in Provinces and Counties) according to the Orders issued in pursuance of sec. 6 of 14 and 15 Vic., cap. 68 :—(since the completion of Table No. 1, Appendix E, in the Thirteenth Annual Report of the Local Government Board).

NAME OF UNION.	NAMES OF DISPENSARY DISTRICTS.	No. of Electoral Divisions in each	Population in 1881.	Area : in Statute Acres.	Poor Law Valuation.	No. of Members of Committee of Management.	No. of Medical Officers authorised by Special Order.	Number of Apothecaries.	Number of Midwives.	Date of Order.
Column 1.	2.	3.	4.	5.	6.	7.	8.	9.	10.	11.
PROVINCE OF ULSTER.										
COUNTY OF ANTRIM.										
BALLYCASTLE,	Cushendall, .	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	19th Jan., 1886.
COUNTY OF TYRONE.										
STRABANE, .	Dunmurry, .	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	22nd Mar., 1886.
PROVINCE OF MUNSTER.										
COUNTY OF COCK.										
CASTLETOWN, .	Castletown, .	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	11th Feb., 1886.
" . . .	Kilcatherine, .	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	
COUNTY OF KERRY.										
TRALEE, . . .	Brown and Castleland,*	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	10th Dec., 1885.
" . . . . .	Brown, . . .	-	-	-	-	34	-	-	-	24th Dec., 1885.
COUNTY OF TIPPERARY.										
CLOSMEL, . .	Marfield, . .	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	24th Feb., 1886.
PROVINCE OF LEINSTER.										
COUNTY OF KILDARE.										
ATHY, . . . .	Athy, . . . .	-	-	-	-	-	-	1†	-	22nd Mar., 1886.
Near, . . . . .	Kilcullen, . .	-	-	-	-	18	-	-	-	11th Nov., 1885.
KING'S COUNTY.										
ROSENBERY, .	Rhode, . . .	-	-	-	-	14	-	-	-	14th April, 1885.

\* Altering districts by transferring an electoral division.

† The Order in this case provided that the person to be appointed Apothecary in pursuance of an already existing Order might be either an Apothecary or Pharmaceutical Chemist.

## STATEMENT OF ALTERATIONS IN DISPENSARY DISTRICTS—continued.

NAME OF UNION.	NAMES OF DISPENSARY DISTRICTS.	No. of Electoral Divisions in each.	Population: 1881.	Area: in Statute Acres.	Poor Law Valuation.	No. of Members of Committee of Management.	No. of Medical Officers authorized by Special Order.	Number of Apothecaries.	Number of Midwives.	Date of Order.
Column 1.	2.	3.	4.	5.	6.	7.	8.	9.	10.	11.
PROVINCE OF LEINSTER— continued.										
COUNTY OF LOUTH.					£					
DROGHEDA, .	St. Mary's, .	-	-	-	-	17	-	-	-	1st July, 1885. 18th Apr., 1885.
DUNDALE, .	Barronstown, .	-	-	-	-	19	-	-	-	
"	Ravensdale, .	-	-	-	-	15	-	-	-	
QUEEN'S COUNTY.										
ABBETTSLEIGH, .	Ballinskillick, .	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	3rd June, 1885.
COUNTY OF WICKLOW.										
BALTINGLASS, .	Baltinglass, .	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	15th July, 1885.
PROVINCE OF CONNAUGHT										
COUNTY OF LEITRIM.										
MOHILL, .	Mohill, .	-	-	-	-	24	-	-	-	1st July, 1885.
"	Bewna, .	-	-	-	-	14	-	-	-	17th June, 1885.
"	Rynn, .	-	-	-	-	21	-	-	-	1st June, 1885.

SUMMARY OF DISPENSARY DISTRICTS, ACCORDING TO TABLE No. 1, APPENDIX E, OF PREVIOUS REPORT, AS ALTERED BY THE FOREGOING TABLE UP TO THE 25th MARCH, 1885.

PROVINCES.	Number of Unions.	Number of Dispensary Districts.	Number of Electoral Divisions.	Population: 1881.	Area: in Statute Acres.	Poor Law Valuation, 25th Sept., 1885.	Number of Medical Officers authorized by Special Order.	Number of Apothecaries.	Number of Midwives.
Column 1.	2.	3.	4.	5.	6.	7.	8.	9.	10.
ULSTER, .	44	214	879	1,743,875	5,483,291	£ 4,357,257	235	3	28
MUNSTER, .	50	205	1,025	1,331,115	6,067,723	3,422,575	230	21	50
LEINSTER, .	40	205	945	1,278,080	4,876,918	4,751,839	228	15	141
CONNAUGHT, .	28	98	595	821,657	4,392,086	1,366,597	114	5	26
Total, Ireland,	162	722	3,444	5,174,836	20,819,928	13,878,308	807	42	295

No. 2.—FINANCIAL and RECEIPT RETURNS.—Last, in pursuance of § 20 of the Medical Charities Act (14 & 15 Vic., c. 68), of all DISPENSARY DISTRICTS in the several Unions in Ireland (arranged in Provinces and Counties):—showing the NUMBER of DISPENSARIES in each, and the EXPENSES of each Dispensary District for the Year ended 29th September, 1885; with a RETURN,—for the Year ended 30th September, 1885,—of the NUMBER of CASES of MEDICAL RELIEF afforded to Patients at the Dispensary and at their own Homes, respectively; the NUMBER of TICKETS for Medical Relief Caseworked by the Committee of Management, under § 9 of the Act; Number of Cases of VACCINATIONS, Number of DANGEROUS LUMBARIES certified; of Patients attended in BRIDGEWAYS, &c.

NOTE ON TABLE, No. 2.

Columns 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6 and 7, inclusive, are abstracted from the sealed Orders of the Commissioners.

Columns 4 and 5 to 10, inclusive, are abstracted from Returns received from the Clerks of Unions.

Columns 11 to 24, inclusive, are abstracted from Returns received from the Medical Officers of Dispensary Districts.

Column 9:—In various instances in which Rent does not appear in this Table as part of the Annual Expenses, the Dispensary of the District is held in a house which was used for a Dispensary under the late system, or in a court-house, or other public building, the use of which is obtained by the guardians for the purpose, or in a house granted by the proprietor, rent free, or at a nominal rent. In some cases also the Dispensary is the property of the Guardians, having been built by means of a loan obtained under the Dispensary Houses (Ireland) Act, 1873.

Columns 5 and 11:—In some instances two Dispensary Districts, in the same or in different but adjoining Unions, are absorbed by the same Medical Officer.

NAME OF UNION.	NAME OR DISPENSARY DISTRICTS.	POPULA- tion in 1881.	No. of Dispensaries or Rooms any Station, Mobile, Marine.			No. of Officers authorized to receive fees.			EXPENSES OF YEAR ended 29th SEPTEMBER, 1885.																MEDICAL RETURN received 15th SEPTEMBER, 1885.									
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PROVINCE OF ULSTER. COUNTY OF ANTRIM. ANTRIM.	1. Antrim.	4,881	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1									
	2. Carrick.	4,778	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1									
	3. Carrick.	4,771	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1									
	4. Donagh.	5,010	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1									
	5. Sandalstown.	5,272	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1									
	6. Templepatrick.	5,062	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1									
		32,234	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6									





COUNTY OF 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No. 2.—DEFENSARY DISTRICTS, with the EXPENSES, and AMOUNT of NAUTICAL KNIFE afforded, in the several Unions—continued.

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No. 2.—DISPENSARY DISTRICTS, with the EXPENSES, and AMOUNT of MEDICAL RELIEF afforded, in the several Unions—continued.

NAME OF UNION.		NAME OF DISPENSARY DISTRICTS.	POPULATION IN 1881.	NO. OF DISPENSARIES OR DISPENSARY OFFICES.	NO. OF MEDICAL OFFICERS EMPLOYED.	NO. OF MEDICAL OFFICERS EMPLOYED IN 1881.	EXPENSES OF YEAR ended 30th SEPTEMBER, 1883.										MEDICAL RELIEF AFFORDED IN YEAR ended 30th SEPTEMBER, 1883.																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																													
NAME OF UNION.	NAME OF DISPENSARY DISTRICTS.	POPULATION IN 1881.	NO. OF DISPENSARIES OR DISPENSARY OFFICES.	NO. OF MEDICAL OFFICERS EMPLOYED.	NO. OF MEDICAL OFFICERS EMPLOYED IN 1881.	NO. OF MEDICAL OFFICERS EMPLOYED IN 1881.	MEDICAL AND APOTHECARY FEES.					HEALTH OF DISPENSARY BUILDINGS.					BOOKS, PRINTING, &c.					SALARIES (including payments for services).					VACCINATION EXPENSES.					OTHER EXPENSES, such as RENT AND SALARIES OF MEDICAL OFFICERS.					TOTAL EXPENDITURE FOR EACH DISPENSARY DISTRICT.					REVENUE FOR THE YEAR ended 30th Sept., 1883.					NUMBER OF NEW CASES REPORTED AND REGISTERED DURING THE YEAR.					NO. OF PATIENTS FOR MEDICAL RELIEF DURING THE YEAR.					NO. OF PATIENTS FOR MEDICAL RELIEF DURING THE YEAR.					NO. OF PATIENTS FOR MEDICAL RELIEF DURING THE YEAR.					NO. OF PATIENTS FOR MEDICAL RELIEF DURING THE YEAR.					NO. OF PATIENTS FOR MEDICAL RELIEF DURING THE YEAR.					NO. OF PATIENTS FOR MEDICAL RELIEF DURING THE YEAR.					NO. 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No. 2.—DIETARIAN DISTRICTS, with the EXPENSES, and AMOUNT of MEDICAL RELIEF afforded, in the several Unions—continued.

NAME OF UNION.	NAMES OF DIETARIAN DISTRICTS.	Popu- lation in 1881.	No. of Dietarians in each District.		No. of Officers employed in each District.		EXPENSES OF YEAR ended 31st SEPTEMBER, 1883.										MEDICAL RELIEF AFFORDED BY YEAR ended 31st SEPTEMBER, 1883.													
			1.	2.	3.	4.	5.	6.	7.	8.	9.	10.	11.	12.	13.	14.	15.	16.	17.	18.	19.	20.	21.	22.	23.	24.				
PROVINCE OF MUNSTER—continued.																														
COUNTY OF CORK—con.	1. Ballygarra, . . .	6,500	1	1	1	1	50 12 8	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	100 0 0	—	—	—	—	—	200	575	626	—	162	—	—	—
	2. Burren, . . .	4,267	0	1	1	1	32 16 0	8 0 0	—	—	—	4 6 0	—	—	—	—	50 13 2	—	—	—	—	—	501	61	315	—	88	—	—	—
	3. Killybeg, . . .	5,011	0	1	1	1	32 16 0	10 0 0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	24 1 10	—	—	—	—	—	386	156	451	—	60	—	—	—
	4. Killybeg, . . .	2,281	1	1	1	1	5 11 1	8 0 0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	100 0 0	—	—	—	—	—	146	20	177	—	72	—	—	—
COUNTY OF LIMERICK.	1. Carrigrohane, . . .	16,222	0	4	4	4	69 1 10	22 0 0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	320 15 0	—	—	—	—	—	1,667	570	1,662	—	301	—	—	—
	2. Carrigrohane, . . .	6,341	0	1	1	1	55 24 0	14 0 0	0 15 0	0 15 0	0 15 0	0 15 0	0 15 0	0 15 0	0 15 0	0 15 0	100 0 0	—	—	—	—	—	823	115	938	—	121	—	—	—
COUNTY OF TIPPERARY.	1. Carrigrohane, . . .	6,760	0	1	1	1	52 0 0	6 11 0	0 15 0	0 15 0	0 15 0	0 15 0	0 15 0	0 15 0	0 15 0	0 15 0	100 0 0	—	—	—	—	—	512	96	608	—	172	—	—	—
	2. Carrigrohane, . . .	12,034	0	2	2	2	108 14 11	50 11 0	1 11 0	1 11 0	1 11 0	1 11 0	1 11 0	1 11 0	1 11 0	1 11 0	205 30 0	—	—	—	—	—	1,860	190	1,670	—	305	—	—	—
COUNTY OF WICK.	1. Carrigrohane, . . .	9,300	1	1	1	1	32 17 3	0 13 0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	103 0 0	—	—	—	—	—	606	456	1,062	—	784	—	—	—
	2. Carrigrohane, . . .	8,758	1	1	1	1	32 17 3	0 13 0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	103 0 0	—	—	—	—	—	550	416	966	—	775	—	—	—
COUNTY OF WEXFORD.	1. Carrigrohane, . . .	7,911	1	1	1	1	28 11 10	0 0 0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	108 8 0	—	—	—	—	—	518	167	685	—	156	—	—	—
	2. Carrigrohane, . . .	25,522	0	3	3	3	105 3 0	8 18 0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	315 8 0	—	—	—	—	—	1,682	616	1,066	—	596	—	—	—
COUNTY OF DUBLIN.	1. Ballytroillic, . . .	5,114	1	1	1	1	59 3 2	8 10 0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	180 0 0	—	—	—	—	—	156	341	—	98	—	—	—	—
	2. Ballygarra, . . .	2,247	1	1	1	1	59 3 2	8 10 0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	180 0 0	—	—	—	—	—	156	341	—	98	—	—	—	—
	3. Ballygarra, . . .	2,754	2	2	2	2	14 0 0	14 0 0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	120 0 0	—	—	—	—	—	639	126	765	—	95	—	—	—
	4. Carrigrohane, . . .	5,504	2	2	2	2	14 0 0	14 0 0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	120 0 0	—	—	—	—	—	639	126	765	—	95	—	—	—
	5. Carrigrohane, . . .	7,088	0	2	2	2	14 0 0	14 0 0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	120 0 0	—	—	—	—	—	639	126	765	—	95	—	—	—
	6. Carrigrohane, . . .	6,603	0	2	2	2	14 0 0	14 0 0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	120 0 0	—	—	—	—	—	639	126	765	—	95	—	—	—
	7. Carrigrohane, . . .	3,115	1	1	1	1	14 0 0	14 0 0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	120 0 0	—	—	—	—	—	639	126	765	—	95	—	—	—
	8. Carrigrohane, . . .	2,001	1	1	1	1	14 0 0	14 0 0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	120 0 0	—	—	—	—	—	639	126	765	—	95	—	—	—
	9. Carrigrohane, . . .	12,555	2	2	2	2	14 0 0	14 0 0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	120 0 0	—	—	—	—	—	639	126	765	—	95	—	—	—
	10. Carrigrohane, . . .	3,550	2	2	2	2	14 0 0	14 0 0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	120 0 0	—	—	—	—	—	639	126	765	—	95	—	—	—
Total.		145,210	30	31	31	31	1,914 10 11	122 4 0	18 7 8	18 7 8	18 7 8	18 7 8	18 7 8	18 7 8	18 7 8	18 7 8	2,800 0 0	—	—	—	—	—	25,074	9,530	31,604	—	9,196	—	—	—





No. 2.—DISPENSARY DISTRICTS, with the EXPENSES, and AMOUNT of MEDICAL RELIEF afforded, in the several Unions—continued.

NAME OF UNION.	NAME OF DISPENSARY DISTRICTS.	Popu-lation in 1861.	No. of Dispensaries or Dispensaries in each District.	No. of patients attended		EXPENSES OF YEAR ENDING 25th SEPTEMBER, 1865.										MEDICAL RELIEF AFFORDED IN YEAR ENDING 25th SEPTEMBER, 1865.				
				Male.	Female.	Medical.	Apothecary.	Midwife.	Medical.	Apothecary.	Midwife.	Medical.	Apothecary.	Midwife.	Medical.	Apothecary.	Midwife.	Medical.	Apothecary.	Midwife.
Column 1.	2.	3.	4.	5.	6.	7.	8.	9.	10.	11.	12.	13.	14.	15.	16.	17.	18.	19.	20.	21.
PROVINCE OF MUNSTER—continued.																				
County of Cork—continued.																				
Mallow.																				
1. Aghada.		6,247	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
2. Carrigrohane.		3,297	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
3. Clonane.		5,553	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
4. Clonane.		8,763	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
5. Walsby.		2,291	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
6. Walsby.		87,853	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6
1. Collin.		5,448	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
2. Mallow.		7,563	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
3. Mallow.		14,811	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3
4. Mallow.		5,415	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
5. Mallow.		5,118	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
6. Mallow.		4,591	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
7. Mallow.		15,284	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6
8. Mallow.		7,453	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
9. Mallow.		8,072	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
10. Mallow.		6,834	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
11. Mallow.		9,391	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3
12. Mallow.		32,340	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6



No. 2.—DISPENSARY DISTRICTS, with the EXPENSES, and AMOUNT of MEDICAL RELIEF afforded, in the several Unions—continued.

NAME OF UNION.	NAME OF DISPENSARY DISTRICTS.	Popula- tion in 1881.	No. of Dispensaries, or Dispensary Committees, in each Union.	No. of Officers actually employed by the Union.	EXPENSES OF YEAR ended 31st SEPTEMBER, 1886.										MEDICAL RELIEF AFFORDED IN YEAR ended 31st SEPTEMBER, 1886.				
					Medical and Dispensary Officers.	Boots, Printing, Stationery, and Advertising.	Salaries actually paid to Medical Officers.		Vaccination Expenses.		Other Expenses.		Total.		No. of Patients treated by the Dispensaries.	No. of Patients treated by the Dispensaries.	No. of Patients treated by the Dispensaries.	No. of Patients treated by the Dispensaries.	No. of Patients treated by the Dispensaries.
Column 1.	2.	3.	4.	5.	6.	7.	8.	9.	10.	11.	12.	13.	14.	15.	16.	17.	18.	19.	20.
PROVINCE OF MUNSTER—continued.																			
COUNTY OF KERRY—continued.																			
TOLSON.	1. Ardara.	8,473	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
	2. Broom.	8,070	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
	3. Castle Island.	6,060	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
	4. Castlemore.	2,607	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
	5. Knapton.	1,662	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
COUNTY OF LIMERICK.																			
CLOON.	1. Ardara.	5,073	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
	2. Broom.	5,578	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
	3. Groom.	6,923	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
GLAZ.	1. Broom.	15,393	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
	2. Broom.	4,000	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
	3. Broom.	10,293	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
KILMALLACK.	1. Broom.	15,162	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
	2. Broom.	5,387	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
	3. Broom.	3,541	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
KILMALLACK.	1. Broom.	5,078	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
	2. Broom.	5,078	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
	3. Broom.	5,078	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1



No. 2.—DISPENSARY DISTRICTS, with the EXPENSES, and AMOUNT of MEDICAL RELIEF afforded, in the several Unions—continued.

NAME OF UNION.	NAME OF DISPENSARY DISTRICT.	Popu- lation in 1881.	No. of consultations by Medical Officer.			EXPENSES OF YEAR ended 27th SEPTEMBER, 1882.										MEDICAL RELIEF AFFORDED IN YEAR ended 27th SEPTEMBER, 1882.																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																				
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No. 2.—**DISPARITY DISTRICTS, with the EXPENSES, and AMOUNT of MEDICAL RELIEF afforded, in the several Unions—continued.**

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No. 2.—DISPENSARY DISTRICTS, with the EXPENSES, and AMOUNT of MEDICAL RELIEF afforded, in the several Unions—continued.

NAME OF UNION.	NAME OF DISPENSARY DISTRICT.	Popu- lation in 1881.	No. of Dispensaries or Dispensaries in each District.	No. of Officers by Local Order.		Medicines and Appliances.		Rent of Buildings.		Books, Forms, Stationery, Printing, and Advertising.		Medical Officers.		Salaries (including payments for consulting physicians, &c.).		Vaccination Expenses, including salaries of vaccinators.		Other Expenses, including salaries of medical officers, and other persons.		Total Expenses for each District.		No. of Patients treated during the year.	No. of Patients treated during the year.	No. of Patients treated during the year.	No. of Patients treated during the year.	No. of Patients treated during the year.	No. of Patients treated during the year.	No. of Patients treated during the year.	No. of Patients treated during the year.	No. of Patients treated during the year.	No. of Patients treated during the year.	No. of Patients treated during the year.	No. of Patients treated during the year.	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SUMMARY OF FOREGOING TABLE, No. 2.

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No. 3.—GENERAL SUMMARY of previous TABLES, in Provinces:—containing, 1. Dispensary Districts formed under § 6 of the Medical Charities Act, 14 & of Dispensaries, Officers, &c.:—2. FINANCIAL STATEMENT; showing the 1884, to 29th September, 1885:—and 3. RELIEF RETURN; showing the Homes, respectively; the Number of Cases in which Tickets for Medical Vaccination performed; Number of Cases of Dangerous Lunatics certified; year ended 30th September, 1885.

HEADS OF PARTICULARS in Dispensing Tables.	ULSTER.		MUNSTER.	
Column 1.	A.	B.	C.	D.
STATISTICS OF UNIONS AND DISTRICTS :				
Population of Unions, in Provinces,—1881, . . . . .	.	1,748,075	.	1,381,115
Area of Unions and Dispensary Districts, in statute squares, . . . . .	.	5,686,801	.	6,067,723
Poor Law Valuation of Unions, in Provinces,—1883, . . . . .	.	24,837,237	.	23,422,575
Number of Unions, . . . . .	.	44	.	50
" Electoral Divisions, . . . . .	.	879	.	1,035
" Dispensary Districts, . . . . .	.	214	.	206
" Dispensaries or Dispensary Stations therein, . . . . .	.	302	.	347
" Medical Officers authorized to be appointed for Dispensary Districts, . . . . .	.	235	.	230
" Apothecaries, . . . . .	.	3	.	21
" Midwives, . . . . .	.	86	.	47
EXPENDITURE IN YEAR ended 29th September, 1885 :—				
Medicines and Medical Appliances, . . . . .	£	7,128	£	8,007
Rent of Dispensary Buildings, . . . . .	3,318	.	2,361	.
Books, Forms, Stationery, Printing, and Advertising, . . . . .	850	.	260	.
Salaries of Medical Officers, . . . . .	24,046	.	25,037	.
" Apothecaries, . . . . .	401	.	882	.
Vaccination Expenses, . . . . .	3,672	.	2,073	.
Midwives' Salaries, Fuel, Attendance, and Incidental Expenses, . . . . .	2,971	.	6,161	.
Total Expenditure in year ended 29th September, 1885, . . . . .	.	£41,776	.	£40,331
RELIEF RETURNS, and DUTIES of MEDICAL OFFICERS for year ended 30th September, 1885 :—				
Number of Cases attended on Dispensary Tickets, . . . . .	104,693	.	111,845	.
" " on Visiting Tickets, . . . . .	54,351	.	51,881	.
Total New Cases in the year, . . . . .	.	159,014	.	163,726
Number of Cases in which Tickets for Medical Relief were cancelled in the year, . . . . .	.	80	.	46
Number of Cases of Vaccination under Medical Charities Act in the year, . . . . .	.	34,616	.	24,335
Number of Cases of Dangerous Lunatics certified in the year, . . . . .	.	450	.	331
Number of Patients attended in Bridewells or Houses of Correction during the year, . . . . .	.	19	.	114



STATISTICAL STATEMENT; showing the number of Unions, Electoral Divisions, and 15 Vic., c. 68; the total and average Population, Area, and Valuation; Number Expenditure under the Medical Charities Act for the year from 29th September, Number of Cases of Medical Relief afforded at the Dispensaries and at the Patients' Relief have been Cancelled by the Dispensary Committees; the Number of Cases of Number of Patients attended at Bridewells or Houses of Correction, &c.; during the

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						For Unions.	For Electoral Divisions.	For Municipal Corporations.
I.	II.	I.	II.	III.	IV.	V.	VI.	VII.
	1,278,000		821,007		5,174,806	31,747	7,187	6,612
	4,876,918		4,392,086		20,810,928	127,730	28,917	—
	24,761,800		21,308,597		213,873,306	285,143	219,375	—
	40		29		163	—	—	—
	945		595		3,444	21	5	6
	908		98		730	4	—	—
	327		145		1,118	7	—	—
	228		114		897	5	—	—
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2,700		1,025		8,404		51 11	11 13	—
454		107		1,161		7 2	1 12	—
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2,754		2,102		11,588		71 2	16 2	—
6,534		4,010		19,668		120 13	27 6	—
	£48,130		£21,434		£100,037	£265 14	£223 3	—
146,456		51,706		414,870		2,544	576	514
58,294		16,290		180,816		1,109	291	224
	294,750		67,996		595,486	3,653	827	788
	56		43		225	—	—	—
	25,073		18,288		102,312	—	—	—
	642		291		1,603	—	—	—
	74		81		238	—	—	—

No. 4.—VACCINATION:—SUMMARY of the Number of Persons VACCINATED in the Workhouses and Auxiliary Establishments of the several Unions in Ireland by the Medical Officers of those Institutions; and of the Number VACCINATED in the several Dispensary Districts, by the Medical Officers of Dispensaries under the Medical Charities Act, in the Year ended 30th September, 1885:—abstracted from Returns made by the respective Medical Officers.

PROVINCES.	No. Vaccinated in Workhouses by Medical Officers thereof.			No. of Cases Vaccinated by Medical Officers of Dispensary Districts.	Total Number returned in Columns 4 and 5.	PROVINCES.
	Successful Cases.	Unsuccessful Cases.	Total.			
1.	2.	3.	4.	5.	6.	
ULSTER, . . .	252	80	282	34,616	34,898	ULSTER.
MUNSTER, . . .	311	1	312	26,835	26,847	MUNSTER.
LEINSTER, . . .	370	8	378	23,073	23,451	LEINSTER.
CONNAUGHT, . . .	116	6	122	18,288	18,410	CONNAUGHT.
Total, . . .	1,049	45	1,094	102,812	103,406	

No. 5.—NUMBER of CASES of SCARLATINA, SMALLPOX, and FEVER, reported by Medical Officers of Dispensary Districts in Ireland, as having been attended in the Quarters ended 31st December, 1884, 31st March, 30th June, and 30th September, 1885.

PROVINCES.	Quarters ended		Scarlatina.	Smallpox.	Fever.
ULSTER, . . .	December 31st, 1884, . . .		284	1	349
	March 31st, 1885, . . .		231	3	295
	June 30th, 1885, . . .		180	2	382
	September 30th, 1885, . . .		340	—	314
MUNSTER, . . .	December 31st, 1884, . . .		401	—	450
	March 31st, 1885, . . .		355	—	510
	June 30th, 1885, . . .		444	4	658
	September 30th, 1885, . . .		300	2	404
LEINSTER, . . .	December 31st, 1884, . . .		265	—	370
	March 31st, 1885, . . .		206	—	354
	June 30th, 1885, . . .		120	—	307
	September 30th, 1885, . . .		183	5	384
CONNAUGHT, . . .	December 31st, 1884, . . .		31	—	188
	March 31st, 1885, . . .		6	—	340
	June 30th, 1885, . . .		32	—	220
	September 30th, 1885, . . .		22	—	187
SUMMARY.					
IRELAND, . . .	December 31st, 1884, . . .		1,081	1	1,365
	March 31st, 1885, . . .		818	3	1,490
	June 30th, 1885, . . .		782	6	1,727
	September 30th, 1885, . . .		845	7	1,189
	Total, . . .		3,526	17	5,760



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Magdalenbridge,	Lisnaskea,	-	217	Oldcastle,	Oldcastle,	-	220
Malshide,	Balrothery,	-	218	Old Ross,	New Ross,	-	245
Malin,	Inishowen,	-	219	Omagh,	Omagh,	-	219
Malrow,	Malrow,	-	227	Omniscare,	Galway,	-	243
Manorhaming- ham,	Latterkenan,	-	219	Oughtreath,	Oughtreath,	-	243
Manorhamilton,	Manorhamilton,	-	245	Oulart,	Kinniscorthy,	-	241
Markethill,	Armagh,	-	216	Palmestown,	Narvon,	-	379
Marfield,	Glennel,	212	252	Pallaskerry,	Wicklow,	-	241
Marryborough,	Mountmellick,	-	230	Palmestown,	St. Michael's,	-	245
Maynooth,	Celbridge,	-	235	Parsonstown,	Parsonstown,	-	237
				Patricsey,	Drogheda,	-	218
				Phillystown,	Tullamore,	-	237
Meigh,	Newry,	-	220	Piltown,	Carrick-on-Suir,	-	241
Melrose,	Melrose,	-	224				
Milford,	Kontuck,	-	227	Plumb Bridge,	Oestlin,	-	224
Milketree,	Milketree,	-	224	Pointe Park,	Newry,	-	239
Milkeva,	Kilmarney,	-	229	Pointonoy,	Cookstown,	-	223
				Portadown,	Lurgan,	-	219
Milkeva,	Milkeva,	-	241	Portaferry,	Dunpatrick,	-	245
Milkeva Millway,	Ennistymon,	-	235				
Mitchelstown,	Mitchelstown,	-	238	Portlough,	Ballymena,	-	215
Mocha,	Athlone,	-	211	Portlough,	Carrick-on-Suir,	-	238
Mohill,	Mohill,	213	245	Portree,	Newry,	-	245
				Portumna,	Portumna,	-	215
Moles,	Lurgan,	-	238	Powerscourt,	Rathdown,	-	235
Molishiff,	Kilmarney,	-	229	Queenstown,	Cork,	-	226
Monaghan,	Monaghan,	-	243				
Monasterhatch,	Drogheda,	-	234	Quin,	Tulla,	-	226
Monasterivan,	Athy,	-	235	Rafaragh,	Carrickmacross,	-	227
				Rahon,	Malrow,	-	227
Monymore,	Magherafelt,	-	229	Randstown,	Antrim,	-	214
Mount Bellow,	Mount Bellow,	-	244	Raphoe,	Strabane,	-	224
Mountcharles,	Drogheda,	-	238	Rathangan,	Edenderry,	-	229
Mountmellick,	Mountmellick,	-	241				
Mountmorris,	Newry,	-	229	Rathcoole,	Celbridge,	-	235
				Rathcoole,	Fermanagh,	-	227
Mounttrath,	Mountmellick,	-	241	Rathcoole,	Drogheda,	-	240
Mountshannon,	Somert,	-	225	Rathfriland,	Rathfriland,	-	226
Moville,	Inishowen,	-	219	Rathfriland,	South Dublin,	-	226
Moylilly,	Galway,	-	236	Rathfriland,	Newry,	-	220
Moylilly,	Kells,	-	236				
Moyne,	Thurles,	-	239	Rathfriland,	Carrick-on-Suir,	-	220
				Rathfriland,	Rathfriland,	-	220
Mullaghglass,	Newry,	-	229	Rathfriland,	Milford,	-	219
Mullaghmore,	Callagh,	-	246	Rathfriland,	South Dublin,	-	226
Mullingar,	Mullingar,	-	243	Rathfriland,	Nase,	-	226
Mullyfurnham,	Mullingar,	-	243	Rathfriland,	Milford,	-	219
Murregh,	Bendoo,	-	223				
Murregh,	Limerick,	-	243	Rathfriland,	Ballyglass,	-	241
				Rathfriland,	Dunshaughlin,	-	249
Nase & Carragh,	Nase,	-	230	Rathfriland,	Dundalk,	215	239
Nase,	Nase,	-	239	Rathfriland,	Edenderry,	215	217
Newagh,	Newagh,	-	238	Rathfriland,	Armagh,	-	218
Newbridge,	Rathfriland,	-	243	Rathfriland,	Dungannon,	-	233
Newbridge,	Nase,	-	236				
Newcastle,	Newcastle,	-	231	Rineyville,	Castles,	-	243
				Rineyville,	Parsonstown,	-	217
Newcastle,	Rathfriland,	-	243	Rineyville,	Silgo,	-	248
Newmarket,	Ennis,	-	225	Rineyville,	Ennistymon,	-	226
Newmarket,	Kantark,	-	227				
Newport,	Newagh,	-	222	Robertstown and Kilmeagrow,	Nase,	-	238
Newport,	Newport,	-	247				
				Roskealy,	Brookstown,	-	248
New Ross,	New Ross,	-	220	Roskealy,	Roskealy,	-	247
Newry,	Newry,	-	220	Roskealy,	Roskealy,	-	247
Newtownards,	Newtownards,	-	220	Roskealy,	Milford,	-	219
Newtownbarry,	Ennistymon,	-	241	Roskealy,	Ennistymon,	-	226
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Scotstown, . . .	Monaghan, . . .	221	221	Thomastown, . . .	Thomastown, . . .	257	257
Scorby, . . .	Granard, . . .	238	238	Thurles, . . .	Thurles, . . .	258	258
Seelick, . . .	Dungarvan, . . .	233	233	Timoleague, . . .	Clonsilla, . . .	256	256
Shangaldom, . . .	Glin, . . .	250	250	Tinselly, . . .	Shillelagh, . . .	242	242
Shercock, . . .	Ballisborough, . . .	217	217	Tipperary, . . .	Tipperary, . . .	252	252
Shirane, . . .	Howra, . . .	259	259	Tiscavin, . . .	Kilkenny, . . .	257	257
Silvermine, . . .	Nenagh, . . .	252	252	Tobercurry, . . .	Tobercurry, . . .	248	248
Six Mile Cross, . . .	Omagh, . . .	224	224	Toome, . . .	Ballymena, . . .	215	215
Skibbereen, . . .	Ballisborough, . . .	228	228	Toomevara, . . .	Nenagh, . . .	252	252
Skreen, . . .	Dromore West, . . .	245	245	Tralee, . . .	Tralee, . . .	250	250
Skull, . . .	Skull, . . .	229	229	Tramore, . . .	Waterford, . . .	253	253
Slieverough, . . .	Macroom, . . .	237	237	Trim, . . .	Trim, . . .	240	240
Sligo, . . .	Sligo, . . .	268	268	Tusm, . . .	Tusm, . . .	246	246
Slieve, . . .	Keshmara, . . .	229	229	Tulla, . . .	Tulla, . . .	255	255
South City, . . .	South Dublin, . . .	235	235	Tullagh, . . .	Skibbereen, . . .	258	258
Spidal, . . .	Galway, . . .	243	243	Tullamore, . . .	Castel, . . .	251	251
Stamullen, . . .	Drogheda, . . .	239	239	Tullamore, . . .	Tullamore, . . .	257	257
Stewartstown, . . .	Coakstown, . . .	223	223	Tullaroan, . . .	Kilkenny, . . .	237	237
Stralena, . . .	Stralena, . . .	234	234	Tullow, . . .	Carlow, . . .	254	254
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Stranorlar, . . .	Stranorlar, . . .	225	225	Tynan, . . .	Armagh, . . .	216	216
Street, . . .	Granard, . . .	238	238	Tyrrellspass, . . .	Mullingar, . . .	241	241
Strokestown, . . .	Strokestown, . . .	248	248	Udd, . . .	Waterford, . . .	252	252
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Tallow, . . .	Lismore, . . .	253	253	Waringstown, . . .	Lurgan, . . .	216	216
Tandragee, . . .	Banbridge, . . .	239	239	Warrenpoint, . . .	Newry, . . .	220	220
Tarbert, . . .	Glin, . . .	230	230	Waterford, . . .	Waterford, . . .	252	252
Tartaraghan, . . .	Lurgan, . . .	216	216	Westport, . . .	Westport, . . .	247	247
Templemarke, . . .	Bandon, . . .	235	235	Wexford, . . .	Wexford, . . .	242	242
Templemore, . . .	Youghal, . . .	229	229	Whitechurch, . . .	Cork, . . .	256	256
Templemore, . . .	Thurles, . . .	233	233	Whitechurch, . . .	Dungarvan, . . .	253	253
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Templepatrick, . . .	New Ross, . . .	242	242	Williamstown, . . .	Glennasmaddy, . . .	244	244
Tempe, . . .	Keshmara, . . .	229	229	Woodford, . . .	Longhore, . . .	244	244
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